Weather Forecast.
Showers Thursday; Fair Friday; Fresh Northwest Winds.

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Samuel Seeley, who finished a prison sentence for embezzlement two years ago, returns to New York worth $1,000,000.—Page 5.

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The great naval war game is being being played with all its fine points on the Atlantic coast.—Page 1.

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Colorado Iron and Fuel Company is enjoined from holding stockholders' meeting.—Page 2.

Oceanic brings many prominent men of affairs home from Europe.—Page 2.

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President Castro is told that blockade of Venezuelan ports will not be recognized.—Page 2.

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The Thirteenth regiment again wins the regimental trophy at the Mt. Gretna shoot.—Page 4.

Dr. Glenn S. McDowell and daughter of Franklin are drowned in Conneaut lake.—Page 4.

Democratic state bosses get together at Philadelphia to discuss campaign details.—Page 3.

LOCAL.

President Ramsey of the Wabash again comes to Pittsburgh that he may keep in touch with the details of the great work being done hereabouts in the interest of his great railroad, and incidentally tells of a 25,000-ton rail order, calling for an expenditure of about $760,000, placed with the Carnegie Steel Company for the new connecting link in Ohio.—Page 7.

Rivers and harbors committee of the chamber of commerce recommends that Congressman Dalzell be asked to attend the annual convention of the Ohio River Improvement association at Parkersburg and urge the importance to Pittsburgh of the prosecution of extensive governmental improvements along the great waterway.—Page 2.

Lack of transportation facilities has created an ugly condition in the blast furnace industry, nine furnaces being closed, with a dozen more to follow without prompt relief.—Page 12.

Plans for the new Roman Catholic cathedral of the Pittsburgh diocese are approved and the architects hope to award contract to the builders by September 15. Salient features, dimensions, etc., described.—Page 1.

Della McKenna of Donora, aged 15 years, was found weeping at Union station, having been deserted by Clyde H. Hawkins, aged 21 years, with whom she had eloped. Her father was sent for and when he arrived he prosecuted a search for Clyde. Now both man and girl are locked up for safe keeping.—Page 3.

Controller Larkin sent his promised communication to Recorder Brown, showing an apparent excess of $1,364,763 42 over revenues in the claims and charges against the city for the current fiscal year. Larkin says "heroic measures" are demanded.—Page 8.

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No candidate for city recorder has yet been selected by the Citizens party.—Page 3.

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United States court decides service on vice-president of a foreign corporation traveling in Pennsylvania on pleasure is void.—Page 12.

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The second of the series of garden parties at the Brighton Country club will be held tomorrow evening.—Page 7.

Tonight occurs the fourth of the open-air concerts by the American Military band at the Country club in Beechwood boulevard.—Page 7.

SPORTING.

Jack O'Connor indefinitely suspended from the Pirates for his treacherous dealings with the American league.—Page 1.

Direct Hal lowered his own pacing record for a mile at Grand Circuit races.—Page 8.

First day's matches of national lawn tennis championship at Newport were dull and uninteresting.—Page 8.

Rain prevented the game between Pittsburgh and New York teams yesterday. A double-header will be played today.—Page 8.

The winners at Hawthorne: Ailine Abbott, McChesney, Pericles, Brulare, Rich Plaid and Little Elkin.—Page 8.

The Saratoga winners: Belle of Ilgton, Inspector, Storms, Gray Friar, Ella Snyder and Rossignol.—Page 8.

FINANCIAL.

Wheat, corn and oats closed higher in Chicago market.—Page 10.

Pittsburgh bank exchanges were $220,000 larger than for the same week year.—Page 11.

Stocks begin to jump as soon as Japan's foot hits the gangplank.—Page 10.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange was somewhat larger than that of the day before, and the tone steady and firm.—Page 11.

FLINN ESCAPES THE LAW.

Says Buffalo Policeman Told Him He Could Speed His Auto.

BUFFALO, Aug. 20.—(Special.)—George H. Flinn, son of Senator William Flinn of Pittsburgh, who was arrested last evening on a charge of fast riding in an automobile, was arraigned in police court today. He pleaded guilty to the charge and professed ignorance of the law.

He said a patrolman told him he could run as fast as 15 miles an hour. Judge Murphy suspended sentence on Mr. Flinn. Mr. Flinn will leave Buffalo today and continue his journey to Saratoga. He has an elegant machine, and one that is capable of making fast time.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Stock company in "The Geisha," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"Zig Zag Alley," 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—Bon-Ton Burlesque Company, 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"For Love and Honor," 8:15 p. m.

HOSTILE FLEET HOVERS AROUND ATLANTIC COAST

Admiral Higginson, With Strong Line-of-Battle Squadron, Is on Watch Off Rockport, Mass.—Scouts Along Line.

GREAT GAME OF MIMIC WAR IS BEING PLAYED TO FINISH

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Rockport, Mass., Aug. 20.—A heavy mist rests upon the waters of Massachusetts bay and the adjacent waterways while the blue squadron of Rear Admiral Higginson is protecting the coast from Portland, Me., to the extremity of Cape Cod. The entire coast along the line of defense and attack is being patrolled by jackies from the fleet of the former, and the local telegraph wires are being kept at a high tension by the numerous dispatches which are being received at all points along the coast and delivered to the jackie runners, who ply between the telegraph office and the pier where the launches of the Kearsarge and Massachusetts alternate in conveying them to the fleet by means of the gunboat Gloucester, which is acting as dispatch boat.

During the afternoon the Gloucester detached from the fleet and made in as far as Boston light, returning to this port about 7:30, when she just dodged inside the breakwater, waited for messages and immediately steamed to the eastward, returning later to receive the dispatches which were taken to her by the launches. Rockport is beyond a doubt the pivotal point, and the flagship Kearsarge has been located about 20 miles off.

Search for Enemy.

The big ships are stretched along to the northward, the torpedo boats spread out to the southward, covering Cape Cod, while the slower moving tugs are detailed for scout duty. It is evident that some of the torpedo boats have a roving commission in search of the enemy. One of them was sighted as far east as Kennebunkport, Me., this afternoon, while three others were sighted on Gashes Bank, which bears due east about 60 miles from Cape Cod.

Some of the vessels hove in sight off here about 3:30 o'clock, but quickly disappeared beyond the horizon. None of the big cruisers or battleships is more than 20 miles off shore. The question now is, at what point the enemy will attempt to break through and make their dash for shelter. The isles of Shoals and Barnstable appear to afford them the most likelihood of shelter. Manchester Cove would not give them enough water. Gloucester harbor would provide depth enough, but it would not afford them shelter to remain concealed for the specified period of six hours.

Signals Awake Town.

About 10 o'clock the town was startled by repeated blasts from the whistle of the Massachusetts' launch, lying at the pier, which were promptly answered by similar signals from the Kearsarge's launch, out beyond the breakwater. The townspeople jumped to the conclusion that these signals had some definite bearing upon the mimic marine warfare, and everyone flocked to the pier, expecting to see the grand spectacle of the night before repeated. But in this they were disappointed. It was merely a hurry-up call to deliver dispatches to the Gloucester.

Shortly after the Massachusetts' launch departed, the Kearsarge's launch followed suit, and both were out for quite a time. Each of these launches has a crew of jackies with a petty officer in command, and they are provisioned for five days.

Ensign Perry and Chaplain Helms of the Kearsarge, who are quartered at the hotel on shore, are nominally in charge of the launches, and took a trip out in the Massachusetts' launch about 9 o'clock.

There is little likelihood that the fleet will return to port tonight, unless the enemy is sighted and captured and the game brought to a close.

Rules of the Game.

Commander Pillsbury's fleet, which is known as the white squadron, sailed from Provincetown on Monday and is now at sea. Its present whereabouts is unknown to Admiral Higginson, whose force is known as the blue squadron.

It is understood that the latter fleet, which made its appearance in this harbor last Sunday, would, under the rules of the contest, remain here until after noon today. At any time after that hour Admiral Higinson was free to sail in search of the "enemy."

It will be the object of the white squadron to effect a landing at some unfortified place along the coast as soon as possible after this fixed hour and occupy the position without interference for at least six hours. If Admiral Higginson finds the hostile vessels before they can get within striking distance the victory is with him. If Pillsbury with his ships should elude Higginson and land his force, he must occupy the place he has captured and be free from discovery during the six hours period agreed upon. If he is located before this time expires it is scored as a defeat for him.

Make-Up of Fleets.

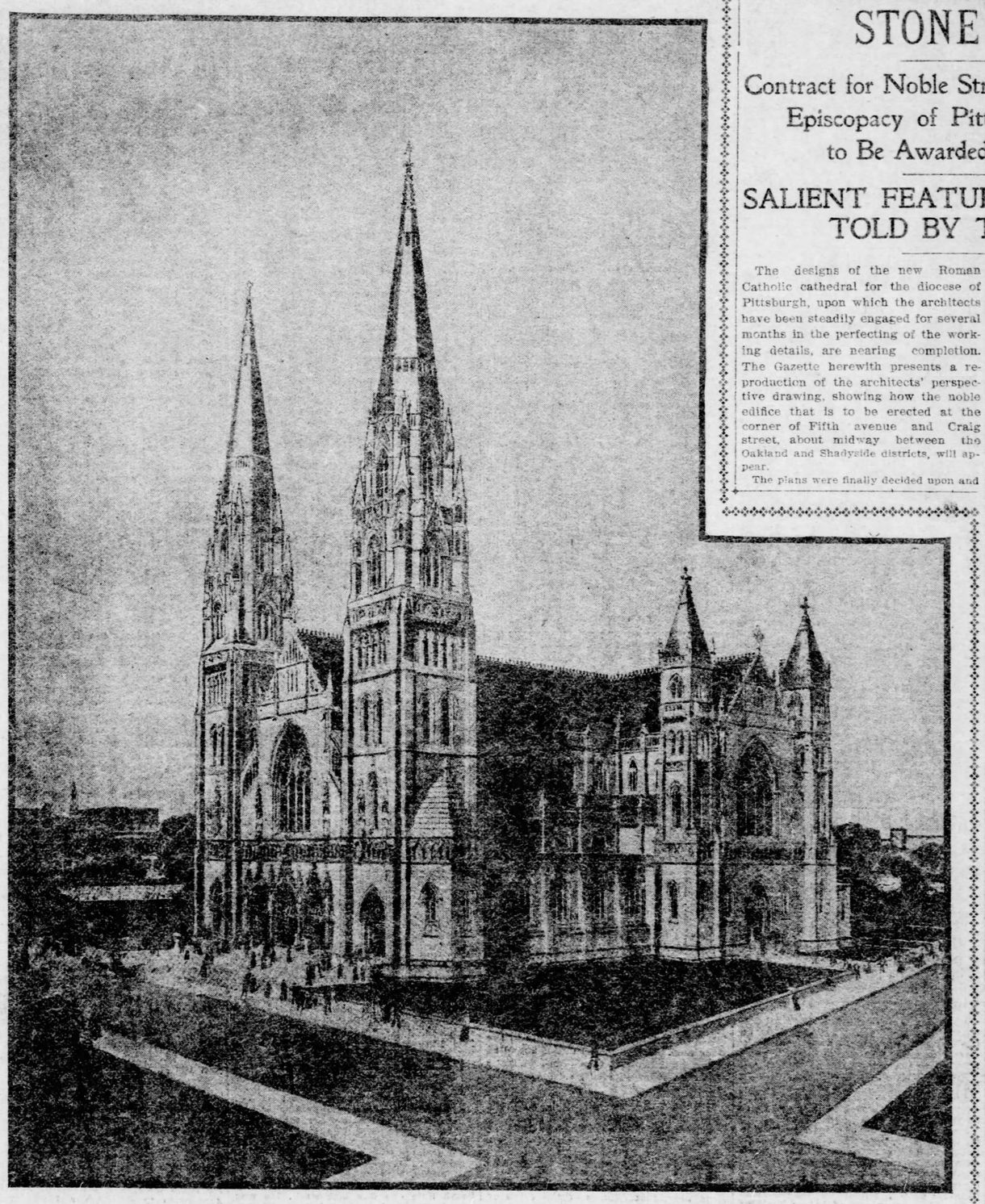
Commander Pillsbury's squadron includes the auxiliary cruisers Prairie, Panther and Supply.

Rear Admiral Higginson has his flagship, the Kearsarge, and two other battleships, the Massachusetts and the Alabama, and the cruisers Brooklyn, Olympia and Montgomery, besides seven torpedo boats, two unarmed gunboats, two tugs and the converted yachts Mayflower and Gloucester.

The torpedo boats are the Shubrick, Decatur, (destroyer), Thornton, Stockton, Bagley, Barney and Biddle. The gunboats are the Scorpion and the Peoria.

While the vessels of the white squadron are understood to represent an attacking force of great power, in reality it can hardly be compared with the defending complement. Commander Pillsbury's three auxiliary cruisers have an average displacement of 6,000 tons and an average speed of 13 knots. Admiral Higginson's squadron includes battleships of nearly 11,000 tons average displacement and nearly 17 knots average speed; cruisers, the slowest of which is a 19-knot vessel and torpedo boats good for 26 to 29 knots.

NOBLE AND HANDSOME STRUCTURE THAT IS TO FURTHER GRACE PITTSBURGH ARCHITECTURE



The New St. Paul's R. C. Cathedral That Is to Be Built at the Corner of Fifth Avenue and Craig Street.

PLANS APPROVED FOR GREAT GOTHIC STONE CATHEDRAL

Contract for Noble Structure of the Catholic Episcopacy of Pittsburgh Diocese Is to Be Awarded September 15.

SALIENT FEATURES AS TOLD BY THE ARCHITECTS

The designs of the new Roman Catholic cathedral for the diocese of Pittsburgh, upon which the architects have been steadily engaged for several months in the perfecting of the working details, are nearing completion. The Gazette herewith presents a reproduction of the architects' perspective drawing, showing how the noble edifice that is to be erected at the corner of Fifth avenue and Craig street, about midway between the Oakland and Shadyside districts, will appear.

The plans were finally decided upon and approved at a meeting of the cathedral committee, composed of J. Dawson Callery, Leopold Vilsack, William Loeffler, J. C. Reilly, Edward Kelly and John Farrell, together with the Rt. Rev. Richard Phelan, bishop of the diocese, and the Rev. Father J. F. Regis Canevin, rector of the cathedral congregation, held yesterday afternoon at the Episcopal residence in Grant street, at which the architects, Messrs. Egan & Prindeville of Chicago were present.

Great Work Is to Be Pushed.

As soon as a decision was reached the Chicago architects left for the west, taking with them instructions to rush matters. They will at once advertise for bids from contractors, and it is the hope and expectation that it will be possible to award the contract by September 15. After that the contractors will be expected to work lively.

At the time H. C. Frick bought the cathedral property he gave the congregation until April 1903, to vacate. Since then he has informed Bishop Phelan that it is not his purpose to discommode the congregation in the least, and that if more time is needed in which to become established in another house of worship, there will be no difficulty thrown in the way of any satisfactory arrangement.

Bishop Phelan's Fond Hope.

Before the new cathedral is completed the new downtown parish will be established in the new Church of the Epiphany in Washington street, which will become the temporary church home of Bishop Phelan. But the venerable prelate is getting up in years and one of his fondest earthly hopes is to see the new cathedral completed and dedicated before he lays down the great work of his diocese, and it is certain that as soon as the contract has been awarded the contractors will be urged to exert every effort to complete the erection of the handsome sanctuary.

In connection with the illustration, the following statement regarding the salient features of the proposed new cathedral will doubtless be of interest:

Fourteenth Century Gothic.

It is intended to occupy the site at the corner of Fifth avenue and Craig street, the main front nearly parallel with the avenue and the sides extending at a somewhat oblique angle with Craig street, the front to stand about 35 feet back from the avenue and the side at the narrowest point, in the rear, about 20 feet from Craig street and about 30 feet from the corner of the street and avenue. This arrangement, although in great measure a necessity, arising from the obliquity of the lines of both highways, will in fact result in a most desirable perspective view of the exterior, which the architects have endeavored to enhance in their design.

The style of the architecture is what may be designated as a pure example of the traditional or scholastic Gothic of the Fourteenth century, the full flower of the "decorated Gothic," as it is technically called.

The structure externally will be of stone from base course to the summit of each spire, throughout, and even the numerous elaborate traceried windows which are to embellish the exterior and interior are intended to be wrought in stone.

Most Imposing Facade Presented.

The front presents a most imposing facade, extending on the avenue for a width of 120 feet over both towers, the main front gable rising to 120 feet and each tower and spire to 250 feet in height.

The front present a richly decorated grouped doorway in three parts or doors proper, the central doorway being 10 feet wide and the side ones each 8 feet wide, surmounted by richly molded and carved arches and lofty decorated pediments, adorned with statues, the central pediment over the main entrance being 40 feet high and surmounted by a colossal statue of St. Paul. Above the front entrance the gable is filled with a very beautiful and imposing traceried window, 22 feet wide and 37 feet high.

Flying buttresses fill the space in front between the towers and main gable, giving an airy and most graceful treatment of the connection between the central and side masses.

Corresponding gables and entrances of a less elaborate character adorn both transepts, and there are windows of almost the same magnitude and of equal architectural beauty.

The Ground Dimensions.

The ground dimensions are as follows: Extreme length from face of towers to rear of sanctuary outside, 220 feet; extreme width between walls inside, 100 feet, and clear width inside, across transepts, 128 feet, the sanctuary proper being 96 feet wide and designed to contain five altars.

Interiorly the arrangement is almost unique in this country, although being of a kind not unusual on the continent of Europe. The ground plan indicates five main divisions, formed by four rows of columns into a central part or "nave," so called, and four side aisles, this being almost identical with the plan, thus far, of the old cathedral building. But the present architects have seized upon the opportunity thus afforded to introduce a second clerestory, one on each side of the nave, so that there shall be three clerestories with ample windows, greatly lightening and beautifying the interior.

The height of the central or nave division will be 75 feet from floor to ceiling, of the next flanking aisles to the nave 44 feet and of the outer aisles 31 feet.

Illustrated Sculptured Panels.

Above the arches of the nave arcade are designed a series of sculptured panels in high relief intended to illustrate notable scenes in the history of the church. The interior columns and wainscottings are to be finished in rare and richly polished marbles.

The plans provide for a fireproof structure throughout, as it is the intention to so construct every part, the floors, the roof and even the richly vaulted ceiling that no woodwork shall be used.

The cost of the structure will, it is thought, approximate $700,000 when finished and ready for occupation.

Struck Wrong West Virginian.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Elmer Brown and George T. Bradford, two New Yorkers, were arrested in Newark, N. J., this afternoon by Inspectors Cortelyou and Bullhouse, accused of working the green goods game on Michael Bigle of West Virginia. The alleged attempt was made in the Market street station of the Pennsylvania railroad in Newark.

NINE MEN ARE KILLED BY A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

Six Others Are Missing and Four Are Badly Injured at Wilmington, Del.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILMINGTON, DEL., Aug. 20.—Nine workmen are known to have been killed, six are missing and four others were badly injured by the explosion of two steel digesters in the Delaware pulp mills of the Jessup & Moore Paper Company on the Christiana river this afternoon.

The dead are: Frank Harris, William Burke, James Nagle, John McCormick, Zachariah Collins (colored), James Stokes, Joseph Dumbacher, Granville Waters and Joseph Henry.

The missing are: William Scott, fireman; Joseph Henry, fireman; Joel Hutton, fireman; William Ruth, fireman; E. H. Mousley and James Sweeney.

The injured are: James Jester, badly burned, recovery doubtful; John Collins, burned and inhaled flames; George Durham, burned and scalded, recovery doubtful.

The digesters were in a two-story building. There were 10 of them, each resembling a vat, about six feet in diameter. They were used for reducing wood pulp. Eighteen men were in the building. There were two terrific reports and the building and other mills about the structure were completely wrecked. One digester fell to the ground 250 feet away.

SCHWAB MUST REST.

Chairman Gary Says All Steel Officials Insist Upon It, but He Will Not Resign.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—(Special.)—E. H. Gary, chairman of the executive committee of the United States Steel corporation, gave out this statement this evening:

"President Schwab spent considerable time in my office today and alone in his own office and at the bank of J. P. Morgan & Co. He is looking well and hearty. There seems to be no doubt that he will soon be completely restored to health.

"We are all insisting that he take a much needed rest. During the last 15 months he has had more responsibility than one person should assume. However, he has so systematized the business of the company that it will not suffer during his absence. He will probably sail within a day or two, and will take with him the best wishes of all his associates."

Mr. Schwab announced tonight that all arrangements had been made for him to sail tomorrow morning on the French liner La Touraine.

To Increase Edison Stocks.

BOSTON, Aug. 20.—The stockholders of the Edison Electric Illuminating Company today voted to increase the capital stock from $7,850,400 to $8,635,500 and the number of shares from 78,504 to 86,355.

Deaths in Philippines.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Between June 25 and July 10, 72 deaths occurred among the enlisted men of the division of the Philippines. Of the total number of deaths, 35 were due to Asiatic cholera.

THE SCHULTZ MILLIONS CAUSE FOR A CONTEST

Guardian Wanted for Son of Late Soap Manufacturer of Zanesville, O.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ZANESVILLE, O., Aug. 20.—A fight for the millions left by Robert D. Schultz was disclosed tonight, when it became known that a secret application for the appointment of a guardian for his son, William Darlington Schultz, had been filed Monday by the latter's wife, Ethel Granger Schultz. The application is set for hearing tomorrow morning.

Robert D. Schultz, the soap manufacturer, died two years ago, leaving an estate valued at $5,000,000, three-fourths of which went to his son, William D., and the remainder to William D. Schultz and John Hoge as trustees for Bernard Van Horne Schultz, the other son. One year ago, William D. Schultz married Ethel, daughter of Judge M. M. Granger, and until recently they lived in a palatial residence in Putnam, entertained lavishly and were the recognized leaders of Zanesville's smart set.

A few weeks ago the young millionaire collapsed, was hurried out of the city with a physician, and taken to a sanitarium near New York city. All sorts of rumors as to the nature of his affliction and his condition have been in circulation. Mrs. Schultz has announced her intention to leave soon on a tour of Europe. It is expected that Mrs. Schultz will ask for the appointment of her brother, Sherman M. Granger, while the Schultz interests want John Hoge named.

NEW WORLD TRUST.

Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company Swallows Up Two English Concerns, Its Only Competitors.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Chicago is to be the headquarters of still another great monopoly, the new merger having been effected by the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company, which has just completed negotiations in London by which it gains possession of the International Tool Company and the Taft-Howard Tool Company.

The two big English concerns were the only important rivals of the Chicago company. Capitalized at $10,000,000, the new corporation will be known as the Consolidated Pneumatic Tool Company.

President Schwab of the United States Steel Corporation is an associate of President J. W. Duntley in the American ownership.

Threw Acid in Woman's Face.

STEUBENVILLE O., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Andrew Oyester, a bartender, who says his home is in Pittsburgh, went into the saloon of John Schught this evening and, it is alleged, threw carbolic acid into the face of Mrs. Schught, burning her in a frightful manner. Oyester was arrested.

Bishop Blenk Now Named.

ROME, Aug. 20.—It is considered probable that Bishop Blenk of Porto Rico will be appointed apostolic delegate to the Philippine islands.

MISS VAN ALEN IS IN MOURNING FOR REMINGTON

Cancels Social Engagements for Summer Season.

BODY OF SUICIDE AT WILLIAMSPORT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Newport, R. I., Aug. 20.—Miss May Van Alen has so far recovered from the shock of the suicide of her former fiance, Robert Reading Remington, as to be able to go out. She is still, however, under the care of a physician, who permitted her to take a brief outing with her sister, Mrs. Robert J. Collier, this morning. Mrs. Collier went to Wakehurst after Miss Van Alen, and together they visited the Rhada, Mr. Collier's steam yacht, which is at anchor in the bay.

Miss Van Alen, it was observed, has put on mourning for Mr. Remington, notwithstanding the statement that they were not engaged at the time of his death, nor had been for some time. Moreover, Miss Van Alen has declined all invitations to social functions for the rest of the summer, the greater part of which she will spend in the quiet of Wakehurst, after which she will go abroad.

From what has taken place since the death of Mr. Remington it is very evident that despite the broken engagement Miss Van Alen held him in the very highest regard.

The envelope containing Miss Van Alen's card, which was attached to the beautiful wreath which was sent to go with Mr. Remington's body to its last resting place, was detached just before Edward P. Remington left here last evening and delivered to him by the undertaker. It was understood that the wreath would be buried with the body.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The body of Robert R. Remington arrived here tonight in charge of his brother Edward P. of Pittsburgh. It was taken in charge by an undertaker and tomorrow afternoon the remains will be buried in the family plot in Wildwood cemetery.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK PITTSBURGH CLUB

President Johnson and Vice President Somers Were Here Working Under Cover on Unsigned Players--O'Connor Suspended.

One of the greatest sensations which has been sprung in local baseball circles in years was developed last night when it was made known that a bold attempt had been made to wreck the champion Pittsburgh club. The attempted wreckers were none other than Ban B. Johnson, president, and Charles W. Somers, vice president, of the American league, aided and abetted by Jack O'Connor, one of the Pittsburgh club catchers.

This rather sensational story was given out when President Dreyfuss stated that Catcher O'Connor had been indefinitely suspended by the Pittsburgh club, and that he had been paid his salary in full to date, which means O'Connor's summary dismissal from the team forever. In this connection Mr. Dreyfuss gave out the following statement:

The Invasion of the Enemy.

"The causes leading up to this summary action on my part have been brewing for some time, but the crisis was reached today when I was compelled to take this step in order that I might meet the issue in the attempt that is being made to wreck the Pittsburgh club.

"Last night Charles W. Somers, who is the vice president of the American league, came to Pittsburgh on a gumshoe mission.

"Accompanying him was one Ban B. Johnson, the president of that league, who came to aid his partner in his dirty work. O'Connor, I know visited the Union depot at the time of the arrival of the Cleveland train, from which place this worthy pair came, which in itself was significant of what followed.

"Somers and Johnson, evidently ashamed of their mission, made their way carefully to the Lincoln hotel. Johnson waited behind a lamp post while Somers went in, and after seeing, as he thought, that his tracks were covered, registered as J. A. Benham, Saginaw, Mich. He did not register Johnson at all, such were his darklantern methods. This morning the plot began to unfold when O'Connor appeared on the scene with one of our unsigned players. After a protracted conference both players departed and O'Connor returned a short time afterward with another of our players, whom he conducted to the hiding place of this precious pair. The scene was then transferred to a room in Allegheny, where another meeting was held with two more of our players, with O'Connor again present. Upon his return from Allegheny Mr. Somers, alias Benham, arranged to leave on the 6 o'clock train for Cleveland. By this time, however, he became aware that his presence in Pittsburgh was known to the officials of the Pittsburgh baseball club, and he tried all he could to save his co-conspirator Johnson from public view.

Were Working Under Cover.

"He first ordered a closed carriage for himself and Johnson to make the trip to the depot, but changed his mind at the last moment and drove away, leaving Johnson still under cover.

"As both had to make the same train, Johnson, to cover his retreat, had the porters bring him down by the freight elevator, hidden among a lot of garbage cans. He then sneaked out by the back alley and trudged his way on foot to the Fort Wayne depot, in Allegheny, where he waited under cover until the train came along which Somers, alias Benham, had

Catcher Jack O'Connor, Who Has Been Indefinitely Suspended by the Pittsburgh Club.

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MAN SUPPOSED TO HAVE KILLED HIMSELF IS ALIVE

W. H. Eggerton, Whose Suicide Was Reported, Is Not Dead.

SEEN BY FRIENDS ON THE SOUTH SIDE

"I would rather be dead than pay the money," said William H. Eggerton, a locomotive engineer of Mohawk street, when the court ordered him to pay his wife $12 a month to support their child.

On July 8 he laid his hat and coat on the Monongahela connecting railroad bridge. There were several letters found in them that led his family to believe he had committed suicide. His wife and family believed that he jumped into the Monongahela river and drowned himself. But it has been discovered that he is alive and well. Eggerton is employed on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad as a fireman.

The bogus suicide was excellently planned. Eggerton, who is 40 years old, was employed as an engineer on the Monongahela Connecting railroad. He has been married two years and lived at No. 2114 Forbes street. The couple did not agree and Eggerton left his wife and child, who was at that time about 1 year old.

His wife entered suit against him for non-support and the court ordered him to pay her $12 a month to support the child. The suit before the court and the monthly payment worried Eggerton. When the court ordered Eggerton to make this payment he said to his father: "I would rather be dead than pay the money."

Insisted That He Pay.

His father insisted that he must make the payments and abide by the court's decision. He did so reluctantly but complained to his father several months after this and said that he was tired of giving his wife the money.

The parent remonstrated with him and said as long as he was alive that he, as

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ACTION LOUDER THAN MERE TALK, SAYS PRESIDENT

He Advises Factional Party Fighters to Show Some Results at Polls.

GIVES STRAIGHT ADVICE

Situation in Texas, Virginia and Southern States Brings Out Some Rough Riding Qualities—Off for New England Tomorrow.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 20.—President Roosevelt today in no uncertain terms expressed his disapproval of factional difficulties in the Republican party. Cecil A. Lyon, chairman of the Republican state committee of Texas, called upon him and presented his side of the controversy which has arisen among the Republicans of the Lone Star state.

The president said to him, with the utmost emphasis, that no man had any authority to speak for the president as regards Texas matters, that the president was taking no side for or against any man or any faction among the Texas Republicans; that, as a matter of fact, the president was exceedingly impatient with those Republicans who went into factional divisions, and that in any such states as Texas or Virginia, or in any other state in which the Republican party is in a minority, but yet had a chance to do something, the president felt the credit would fall to those Republican leaders who were able to make a good showing at the polls, especially for congressional candidates, and not to those who spent their time plotting how they would get delegates or receive offices. He told Mr. Lyon that he could explain this to all Texas Republicans of every faction.

Must Get to Work.

The president also told him that if ever, in any such southern states, a Republican congressman was elected, it would amount to far more in the president's mind than anything which could be done in the way of offices, and that he felt there was little need of recognition for an organization which existed only for offices and delegates.

It was learned that the president told Chairman Babcock of the Republican congressional committee, when the latter visited him a few days ago, that he was profoundly discontented with the Virginia Republican organization for not making a resolute effort to elect Republican congressmen from the western districts of Virginia, and that he felt that an organization which did not try to develop the fullest party strength at the polls had no claims upon him.

Mr. Lyon was the president's guest at luncheon, the other guests being George F. Roberts, director of the mint; Frederick W. Hollis of New York, who was secretary to the American embassy at The Hague conference, and Albert A. Shaw, editor of the Review of Reviews.

Talked About Iowa.

Before leaving for New York Mr. Roberts stated that his call was of a social nature. He said that he had discussed Iowa politics with the president and had informed him that the action of the Republicans of Iowa on the tariff was not of a revolutionary character. The Republicans of his state, he said, believed that certain changes in the tariff were necessary, and thought it would be better to make the movement now than wait until later and be forced into it. Mr. Roberts stated that he had not made up his mind just when he would.

President Roosevelt will start on his New England trip Friday morning. He will leave here on the Sylph at 10 o'clock for New Haven, where he is due to arrive at 2 p. m. At 2:30 he will start for Hartford, where he will spend Friday night. The president's immediate party will consist of Dr. Lung, the president's official physician; Secretary Cortelyou; his stenographers, Latta and Weaver, and two newspaper correspondents and others who will accompany the president will meet the party at New Haven at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Into Rhode Island.

From Hartford President Roosevelt will go to Rhode Island, where on Saturday at Providence he will be received by the governor, the state and city officials. After being entertained at Warwick by Senator Aldrich the president will go to Newport, remaining there Saturday night and Sunday. Monday will be spent in Boston and vicinity. The next morning the party will start for Portland, Maine. The president will probably make a few remarks at Portland and then proceed to Lewistown, where he expects to make another short speech. He will pass the night at Augusta as the guest of the governor and on Wednesday will visit the Eastern Maine fair at Bangor. Thursday the president will be in New Hampshire. After attending the reunion of the New Hampshire Veterans' association at The Weirs he will go to the state fair at Concord, thence to Newbury, where he will stay for the night at the summer residence of Secretary Hay.

Turns to Vermont.

Friday afternoon the presidential party goes to Vermont. Mr. Roosevelt and one or two others will go to Thompsons Point, where they will remain that night and part of the following day, with Secretary Shaw. Returning to Burlington Monday morning the party will start for Massachusetts making a number of stops until Northfield is reached, where the night will be spent.

On Tuesday, September 2, the president will visit a number of other places in Massachusetts, reaching Dalton at 8 p. m., where he will be the guest of Gov. Crane until the following day, when the party will proceed to New Haven. There the president and those who are to accompany him to Oyster Bay, will embark on the Sylph for Oyster Bay.

Throughout the trip drives are to be substituted for receptions and in many instances drives will also be substituted for speeches.

WIFE SEEKING BAIL FOR THE OTHER MAN

Tit for Tat Arrests at Atlantic City in Suit for Alleged Alienation of Woman's Affections.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 20.—Harvey M. Boyer of the firm of McLean, Bowman & Co. of Harrisburg was arrested at a Virginia avenue hotel this afternoon on a capias issued by Chief Justice Gummerre in a suit for $20,000 damages, entered by Dr. W. M. Huston, a wealthy dentist of Philadelphia, for alleged alienation of the affections of Huston's wife. Bail was fixed at $2,000.

Before he was taken to jail Boyer was permitted to consult Attorney E. A. Higbee and as a result he went before Justice De Hart and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Dr. Huston on a charge of perjury. Dr. Huston was arrested in front of the hotel where Boyer and his wife had been stopping. He waived a hearing and furnished bail for trial, leaving on a late train for Philadelphia.

The arrest caused much excitement in the hotel, as it had been whispered around that Mrs. Huston had entered suit for divorce against her husband and that she was expecting a decree from the Philadelphia courts.

Immediately after the arrest Mrs. Huston summoned a number of her friends who were stopping at other hotels and sent them out after bail for Boyer.

Mrs. Huston says that she is wealthy and is willing to transfer her property in Philadelphia to indemnify any person who could be induced to furnish the bond. She was greatly disappointed when told that in order to transfer her property the signature of her husband must be procured. She said she would deposit collateral with one of the local trust companies tomorrow and have the company furnish bail for Boyer.

JAMES J. HILL TALKS ON ORIENTAL TRADE

He Says Opening of Japanese Ports to Foreign Nations Has Greatly Increased Her Commerce.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PAUL, MINN., Aug. 20.—F. H. Thurber of New York furnished the sensation at the trans-Mississippi congress yesterday; it was Moses C. Whetmore of the Missouri delegation, today. He adopted exactly opposite tactics to those taken by Mr. Thurber. The former could see no harm in trusts, and, in fact, doubted if any existed.

Mr. Wetmore and another Missouri delegate, who have decided convictions on the subject, introduced some extremely strong anti-trust resolutions which were referred to the committee on resolutions.

President J. J. Hill of the Northern Securities Company, was introduced, his subject being "Our Trade With the Orient," a topic on which he has come to be regarded as an authority.

From the opening of Japan to foreign trade, he said, her trade has increased ten-fold. The population of the orient, with which we trade, constitutes about one-half the population of the earth. He discussed the prospective trade with the Chinese people, whom he regarded as more enterprising and of better business capacity than the Japanese. Lack of adequate facilities greatly hinders trade. All European countries go across two oceans to reach that trade, which they greatly desire, while we need cross but one.

MARRIED AT DEER PARK.

Bride and Groom Prominent in Cincinnati—One of Bridesmaids Is Pittsburgh Young Woman.

DEER PARK, MD., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—W. P. Anderson of Cincinnati, son of the late Capt. William P. Anderson, and Miss Marguerite Tullidge, daughter of Frank Tullidge, a millionaire of Cincinnati, were married this evening in the chapel of the Deer Park hotel in the presence of a brilliant assembly, including many members of the summer colony, besides those who journeyed from distant parts for the event. Prof. Zimmerman and musicians from the Naval Academy band played the wedding marches.

The Rev. Edward Tullidge of Philadelphia, an uncle of the bride, performed the ceremony. Miss Estelle Tullidge of Cincinnati, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and Joseph Bancroft of Wilmington, Del., was best man. The bridesmaids were Miss Mary Williams of Pittsburgh and Miss Frances Jones of Cincinnati. Dr. S. Fordick Jones of the Presbyterian hospital, New York, Herbert Taft, Murray Shoemaker and Frank Tullidge of Cincinnati were ushers. Miss Frances Perin of Cincinnati was flower girl.

The chapel was magnificently decorated with ferns and flowers. The bride wore an exquisite imported gown, en train, with veil, and wore a diamond brooch, the gift of the groom. She carried bride roses. A reception followed at the summer home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left on the 9 o'clock train for New York. They will take passage on Saturday for Europe, and will remain abroad some time.

Dropped Dead in Street.

FRANKLIN, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Mrs. E. B. Gibbs of this place received a telegram from Cleveland this afternoon stating that her husband had fallen dead on the street in that city this afternoon from heart disease.

THE WEATHER.

Rain.

The Washington weather bureau forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity is rain this morning, with fair condition during the remainder of the day and tomorrow. Yesterday shortly after the noon hour this section was visited by almost inky darkness for about 20 minutes, during which there was a heavy rain and thunderstorm. The rainfall amounted to .46 of an inch. The temperature yesterday reached 81 degrees as a maximum. The minimum was 62 degrees and occurred at 7 o'clock in the morning.

The Gazette weather service thermometers at Kaufmann's corner at the following hours yesterday, registered:

12 noon	81 degrees	8 p. m.	71 degrees
4 p. m.	75 degrees	12 midnight	70 degrees

Time of sunrise today ..... 5:15 a. m.
Time of sunset today ..... 6:52 p. m.

Daily report for yesterday furnished by United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.98	64	88	E.	Clear
8 p. m.	29.92	71	82	S. W.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for the past six years:

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	88	85	96	80	74	72
Minimum	70	64	62	63	61	64
Mean	80	78	80	72	68	68
Precipitation	.33	.01	0	0	.01	0

Maximum temperature (12 noon)	82
Minimum temperature (7 a. m.)	62
Mean temperature	72
Normal temperature (for 31 years)	73
Deficiency in the temperature for the day	1
Deficiency in temperature since Aug. 1	47
Deficiency in temperature since Jan 1	101
Normal precipitation (for 31 years)	.40
Precipitation for the day	.46
Excess in the precipitation for the day	.36
Deficiency in precipitation since first month	.58
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan 1	2.96

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia—Local rains, followed by fair Thursday; Friday fair; winds shifting to fresh northwest.

Ohio—Fair Thursday and Friday; fresh northwest winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	71 Clear	Buffalo	68 Cloudy
Indianapolis	82 Cloudy	Cleveland	74 Rain
Cincinnati	86 PtCldy	Chicago	74 PtCldy
Columbus	80 PtCldy	Marquette	66 Cloudy
Wash., D. C.	74 Cloudy	St. Paul	66 Cloudy
Parkersb'g	78 PtCldy	Helena	76 PtCldy
Kansas City	72 Cloudy	Huron	72 Clear
Oklahoma	94 Clear	St. Louis	74 Rain
Des Moines	74 Clear	Cheyenne	78 PtCldy
Cairo	88 PtCldy	Dodge City	92 PtCldy
Louisville	88 Cloudy	Rapid City	74 Clear
Memphis	90 PtCldy	Salt L. C.	86 Clear
Chattan'ga	90 Cloudy	Denver	86 Cloudy
Jacks'nville	88 Clear	N. Platte	78 PtCldy
Norfolk	76 PtCldy	Omaha	76 Clear
Philadelphia	72 PtCldy	Vicksburg	90 PtCldy
N. Y. City	72 Cloudy	N. Orleans	84 PtCldy

THE PRISONER TALKED TOO NICE TO THE JUDGE

Maggie Miller is a failure as a pleader, because she doesn't know just when to stop. She put up a line of talk which would have done credit to a police court lawyer before Magistrate McGarey at Central police station yesterday morning when she was having a hearing on a charge of disorderly conduct. Maggie probably got a better hearing than is accorded to most prisoners, as the magistrate listened to her recital. Just when she had won him over to ordering her discharge she did not stop, but suddenly became endearing and said, "Go on, sweetheart." "Ten dollars and costs or 30 days to the workhouse," roared his honor, who is a bachelor, in tones loud enough for all in the court room to hear, despite the laughter caused by the prisoner's words.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK THE PITTSBURGH CLUB

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boarded at the Union station. I mention these details to show the dark lantern and sneak thief methods employed by this worthy pair.

"I don't believe they signed any of our players, and I hope the net results of their efforts will be shown in the future to be nothing.

"If, notwithstanding, any of our players at the expiration of their contracts choose to leave the Pittsburgh club, well and good. But I will not stand for any treachery or disloyalty from anybody while in my employ.

Wants No Stool Pigeon.

"No player can be a stool pigeon for the American league and draw salary from the Pittsburgh club at the same time.

"I don't object to legitimate competition for the services of ball players, and had Johnson and Somers come here and acted in an honorable manner I would have been perfectly willing to have had them meet our unsigned players to talk business. But I do object to such people coming in between two days and in disguise and using one of our players to accomplish their ends."

After giving out this statement Mr. Dreyfuss made known the players who have signed contracts to remain with the Pittsburgh club, not only next year, but also for the following season. The list follows:

Players Signed and Unsigned.

Pitchers—Phillippe, Leever, Doheny, Merritt.

Catchers—Harry Smith and Charles Zimmer, both of whom have accepted terms.

Infielders—Bransfield, Ritchey and Wagner.

Outfielders—Beaumont, Clarke and Seabring.

Players not signed—Tannehill, Chesbro, Leach, Burke and Davis.

Mr. Dreyfuss stated he has had a talk with all the unsigned players and there is not one of them who is not willing to remain here. Tannehill says he would rather play in Pittsburgh than anywhere else, providing he can get the same salary. Chesbro has pledged himself to stay here, but has not made up his mind on the amount of salary wanted. Leach has promised not to do business with any other team without giving the Pittsburgh club the first chance. Davis is at Atlantic City and has not been heard from. Burke wants to stay here and will probably sign a contract today, and Conroy has not yet been approached.

Spoiled by the Secretary.

If Ban Johnson and his able vice president thought they were playing a neat trick on the Pittsburgh club owners, then they were badly fooled. While in the east on the last trip President Dreyfuss and Secretary Pulliam learned that the American league was hankering after Pittsburgh players, and they decided then to keep a sharp lookout. On their return home they at once proceeded to lay plans whereby every hotel and depot in the city was closely watched for American league agents.

No sooner had Johnson and Somers arrived in the city last night and had been met at the Union depot by Catcher O'Connor than it was known to Messrs. Dreyfuss and Pulliam, and they started to work at once. Two men were stationed at the Hotel Lincoln with instructions to follow Johnson and Somers wherever they went, also to make a note of any Pittsburgh club player who visited the hotel, and these instructions were followed out to the letter.

The funny part of the whole affair is the alleged mysterious departure of the heads of the American league. Secretary Pulliam had gone down to the Lincoln last night for the purpose of tendering Messrs. Johnson and Somers the freedom of the city and when they learned of his presence in the hotel they resolved on strategy. Somers came downstairs by the passenger elevator, hurried to a closed carriage and was driven hastily to the Union station.

Ban Shifted for Himself.

In the meantime Ban Johnson was left to shift for himself, and he, in order to escape detection, bribed the freight elevator boy to haul him down, and he hid himself behind some garbage cans on the elevator, at least Secretary Pulliam says, as he saw him exit from the elevator. On leaving the hotel the worthy president of the American league took to back alleys and footed it to Allegheny, but Pulliam was there ahead of him and saw Ban B. sneak out and join Somers on the steps of the Cleveland coach.

When it became a certainty that certain of the players had visited the offices Manager Clarke at once made a round of the players, and those who had visited the Lincoln, when apprised that the secret was out, admitted their visit, but emphatically denied having done any business other than talk over matters with Johnson and Somers. The only one of the unsigned players the American officers did not see was Tommy Leach, whom O'Connor could not find.

When O'Connor's notice of suspension was handed him yesterday he professed surprise, but his surprise did not last long. It was stated last night that in today's game with New York Manager Clarke will be back in uniform and will cover left field, with Burke in right and Wagner at first base in place of O'Connor, who has been filling Bransfield's position since the latter's injury.

DALZELL WANTED AS AN ADVOCATE

TO BE ASKED TO SPEAK FOR THIS CITY AT PARKERSBURG.

Importance of Ohio River Improvements to Pittsburgh to Be Strongly Presented at Meeting of Improvement Association—Capt. Sibert's Support.

Congressman John Dalzell is to be asked to represent the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce at the meeting of the Ohio River Improvement association, to be held at Parkersburg early in October. This was decided on at a meeting of the rivers and harbors committee of the chamber yesterday afternoon, at which it was decided to send a strong delegation, both in numbers and ability, to the meeting.

The meeting at Parkersburg will be of the greatest importance to the commercial interests of this city and especially to the river men. The principal object aimed at is the establishment of a nine-foot stage of water from Pittsburgh to Cairo all the year 'round.

It was also decided to recommend to the chamber of commerce that it co-operate with the coal exchange in the effort to accomplish this very much required improvement for navigation.

While the matter was under discussion yesterday it was stated by one of the members of the committee that one of the most prominent officers of the corps of United States engineers had recently stated that the canalization of the Ohio river would increase the traffic over 100 per cent, and that the tonnage would be more than doubled. The same engineer also said that the benefits to be derived by Pittsburgh from the proposed improvements were almost beyond estimate.

Capt. W. L. Sibert, the United States engineer in charge at this point, was present by invitation at yesterday's meeting, and furnished much valuable information to the committee regarding the river improvements which have received the indorsement of several of the United States engineers along the river, and who recommended that at least $4,000,000 be appropriated that the work on the 11 proposed dams may be carried on continuously. Capt. W. B. Rodgers paid Capt. Sibert a high compliment in stating that he apparently had the interests of Pittsburgh as much at heart as if he were a native-born citizen, and that he hoped that he would always remain here to look after the river interests.

The recent meeting of the board of United States engineers in this city, to examine into the free navigation, and the announced coming of the congressional rivers and harbors committee, of which the Hon. T. E. Burton is chairman, has, in the opinion of those who have the river interests most at heart, given a decided impetus to the matter of improved river navigation. It was decided to recommend to the chamber that it unite with the coal exchange in entertaining the rivers and harbors committee that every facility for examining the shipping and river interests may be given them.

ALGER IS A CANDIDATE.

Former Secretary of War Would Succeed the Late James McMillan in United States Senate.

DETROIT, Aug. 20.—Gen. Russell A. Alger, former secretary of war, issued a statement this afternoon announcing himself a receptive candidate for the United States senate. The statement is as follows:

I will not seek the appointment or election to the office of United States senator to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator McMillan. The office and honor are too great to be thus gained. Should, however, the people of Michigan, through their legislature, see fit to elect me to that high office I will accept it and fill it to the best of my ability.

To friends who have so kindly expressed a desire to have me thus chosen as their representative I wish to tender my grateful thanks.

SAW HIS HOME COLLAPSE.

William Gunst of Brushton Had a Fright During the Storm.

The pretty residence at No. 7708 Tioga street, Brushton, owned by Daniel Whitmore and occupied by William Gunst, a fireman, partially collapsed yesterday afternoon during the storm.

Excavations have been made adjacent to the residence for a bank building. These excavations were on a level with the foundation of the west wall of the residence.

About 4 o'clock, when Gunst was entering his home, he saw the west wall give way. His wife and children, who were in the rear of the basement, began screaming. Luckily only about 18 feet of the wall collapsed for a height of eight feet and men soon had props in position to prevent further damage.

SUPPOSED DEAD MAN IS ALIVE

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his bondsman, would be responsible for the payments. Eggerton said nothing more about the matter to his father and on the night of July 8 he went to his boarding house in Second avenue, got his coat, hat and lunch and left the place. He had a companion with him.

On that afternoon he also drew his wages for June. He walked to the center of the Monongahela River Connecting railroad bridge and, carefully folding his coat, laid it on the bridge with his hat and lunch alongside of it. A newspaper stated at the time that "he was seen to leap from the bridge into the water 30 feet below. There was a splash and the waters closed over him." It was proved conclusively yesterday that he did not do that. The investigation showed that he simply walked to the other side of the bridge and disappeared in the darkness. The river was dragged for the next 10 days by his brother-in-law, Martin Flaherty, who was unable to recover the body.

About 10 days after that Mrs. Eggerton was visited by her sister-in-law at No. 2114 Forbes street, who inquired if she knew anything definite about "Billy." Mrs. Eggerton said this confirmed her suspicions but she replied that she knew nothing of her husband, other than he was supposed to have committed suicide. Four weeks later Mrs. Eggerton was visited by a stranger at her home in Forbes street, who assured her that her husband was alive and well.

To the surprise of his former fellow-workmen, William H. Eggerton ran a Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston engine into the yards of Jones & Laughlins on the South Side one day last week. He was seen by Harry Armour and Robert Small, both of Homestead, who work in those mills.

The information was carried to his wife and when seen at her father's home last night, she confirmed the fact that her husband was still alive.

"Yes, my husband is alive and is employed on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad as a reman," said Mrs. Eggerton to a Gazette reporter last night. "I never thought he had committed suicide and it was only a plan of his to keep from paying the money to support his child.

"I have learned that he was also seen at Atlantic City and New York, and I know that his family is aware that he is alive. It was by accident that he was seen in the South Side yards, as I believe that he had to make an unexpected trip into the Jones & Laughlin company's place on his engine.

"I will do nothing in the matter. The court will attend to my husband. He is alive and employed outside of the city and he will be found and compelled to aid in the support of his child."

Eggerton wrote two letters, one to his father and the other to Mrs. Charles Varney of Bluff street. In the letter to his father he said that he could not stand the humiliation and disgrace that his wife brought on him by entering suit against him for non-support. He said that he was disgusted with her and would rather be dead than aid in supporting her.

DISCUSSING A SCALE.

Flint Glass Workers Conferring With Manufacturers Over Wages for This Fire.

Manufacturers' and workers' committees representing the punch tumbler department of the flint glass trade were all-day yesterday trying to arrive at a satisfactory scale for this fire. The meeting was held in the Stevenson block. The manufacturers finally offered an advance of 5 per cent, and this proposition will be sent out for a vote of the workers concerned. About 1,000 are interested.

The manufacturers had, prior to the meeting, offered a continuance of the present wages. By referendum vote the workers declined to accept this. Officials of the American Flint Glass Workers' union went into the conference to demand the advance of 10 per cent first asked. At the close of the conference President Charles E. Voltle of the union was pleased with results, declaring that it can hardly fail to be satisfactory to the workers.

There will be a conference today to settle the wage for the pressed ware branch. At this conference, in which 2,000 men are interested, the workers will be represented by the general officers and the following committee: Henry Bowers of Jeannette, Dennis Kane of Albany, Ind., J. Trainer of Jeannette, D. J. McGrail of Bellaire, O., and John F. Tobin of Marion, Ind.

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J. P. Morgan Heads List of Those for Whose Coming People Hold Breath.

HE KILLS SCHWAB TALE

Declares He Does Not Believe Steel President Contemplates Taking Perpetual Vacation—Talks With Parkin About Rhodes Scholarships.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Aug. 20.—J. Pierpont Morgan, Bishop Potter, Clement A. Griscom, president of the International Navigation Company; Prof. G. R. Parkin, organizer of the Cecil Rhodes educational fund; J. Ogden Armour and many other persons prominent on this side of the ocean, arrived this morning from Liverpool on the Oceanic. Finance, education, religion, the stage and the learned professions were represented among the voyagers. More than a score of the passengers were men and women often in the public eye, and what they had done or what they were about to do became the subject of inquiry as the vessel was reported from Fire Island light.

Mr. Morgan declined to say anything about the coal strike and other matters until he had taken a day to look over the situation. He was in excellent health, and evidently eager to take up the important matters which are awaiting his attention. His secretary boarded the Oceanic from the revenue cutter, taking some letters with him. Deputy Collector Williams of the customs house, in order to facilitate the departure of Mr. Morgan from the steamer, took the financier's declaration in his stateroom. The Corsair came down the bay dressed in gay bunting in honor of her owner's return, and fired a salute.

Surprised by Schwab's Tale.

Wall street's leader said that until he had taken an opportunity to look over the situation in this country and to talk with his associates he could say nothing for publication. Asked concerning the coal strike, he replied that he could at present say nothing about it. When told that Peter Power, the disappearing plaintiff of the Northern Securities suit, had come back from Canada and had been placed in jail for contempt of court, the financier exclaimed:

"I never believed there was a Peter Power."

He looked much surprised when told that it had been reported that Charles M. Schwab would retire from the presidency of the United States Steel Corporation.

"I don't believe it," he said finally, "I will not talk about it."

With Mr. Morgan were Clement A. Griscom and P. A. B. Widener, the Philadelphia trolley line capitalist. Mr. Griscom is interested with Mr. Morgan in the formation of a combination of steamship lines. Concerning the combination Mr. Griscom said the arrangements had been practically all made, and that the details would shortly be made public. Asked if the Cunard line would be included, he replied that it never had been asked to join the combination.

The Rhodes Scholarships.

Much interest attaches to the arrival of Prof. G. R. Parkin, who has been intrusted with the details of organizing a system for the selection of English-speaking young men who are to receive the 200 scholarships of $1,500 each a year endowed by Cecil Rhodes. Mr. Parkin has suggested that it would be a good plan for some wealthy American or group of Americans to establish a fund for the education of 100 young men of Great Britain in the universities of the United States. He had several conferences with Mr. Morgan on the way over, and the financier is said to be much interested, not only in the Cecil Rhodes scholarships, but in the plan which Mr. Parkin proposed for reciprocating the offers made under the will of the South African leader.

Bishop Potter, smiling and happy, declared that the sunshine of New York was unexcelled by that of any other place on earth. Only one thing casts a shadow on the home coming of the prelate, and that was the fact that the strike of the hard coal miners had not been settled. He is much interested in labor matters, and said he hoped at one time that Senator Hanna and he might be asked to do something to end the strike.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 20.—(Special.)—In an interview here this evening Clement A. Griscom said that when the steamship combine is completed tickets would be interchangeable among the vessels of all lines.

QUAY PUTS ON SOCK.

Declares He Knows Nothing of Refusal of President Baer to Confer With Mitchell.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Senator Quay was asked tonight by The Gazette representative if he had any knowledge of the report that President George F. Baer of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company had refused to meet him and Senator Penrose in pursuance of the plan to bring about a settlement of the anthracite miners' strike. The senator said that he knew nothing about it. When asked as to the effect of such a refusal he repeated a declaration he has frequently made recently that he would not be interviewed.

Senator Quay today put a sock on his injured foot for the first time since it was scalded. He expects that by next Monday he will be able again to don his shoes and walk about with all the freedom desired.

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GAME IS ONE THAT WORKS BOTH WAYS

BURGESS HORNER'S CRUSADE PROVOKES RETALIATION.

Ordinance Officer Lindsay Gets After Merchants From Wilkinsburg Whose Wagons Venture Into Pittsburgh Without a City License.

Because Burgess Horner of Wilkinsburg persists in making trouble for Pittsburgh business men, hucksters and retail dealers who sell from wagons, Ordinance Officer R. H. Lindsay made a proper retaliation yesterday by issuing warrants against nearly 100 hucksters and retail dealers of Wilkinsburg.

They are to have a hearing Saturday before Alderman C. F. Robinson of Brushton for violating a Pittsburgh city ordinance in not having vehicle license. It will cost these men $10 each for this license. These licenses cost nearly the same in Wilkinsburg, and the license plate issued by that borough was honored in this city until a few days ago, when Burgess Horner stubbornly refused to recognize license plates issued by the city.

It is claimed, however, that the burgess has the law on his side, and can compel outsiders to pay extra vehicle license in the borough. The business men of the borough, however, are thoroughly disgusted, it is claimed, with the present state of affairs. It is urged that the present rules will work hardships on the small trader.

The vehicle license ordinance of Wilkinsburg has been interpreted in an entirely different manner from that of Pittsburgh, and the burgess urges that there is a distinction between vehicle license and a license to peddle merchandise. The movement at this end has been taken, it is claimed, on the advice of the city attorney.

Among those on whom warrants were served yesterday are: S. M. Caldwell, No. 416 Hay street; Charles G. Hass, Center and Rebecca streets; C. Condano, No. 16 Hill street; Joseph Wright and C. J. McClain, No. 711 Wood street; Carline Grocery Company, R. W. Richards, E. C. Williams, Enterprise Brick Company, H. T. Elliott, No. 815 Wood street; H. G. Creighton, No. 602 Elia street; W. K. Walker, Penn avenue; Brace Bros., Trenton avenue; Pennsylvania Water Company, J. B. Hill & Son, Jordan & Stinson, J. M. Deem, No. 528 Rebecca street; Frank Straw, No. 627 Wood street; J. C. Hill, No. 501 Penn avenue; Penn Ice Company, William J. Elkin, No. 1014 Wood street; Lovett Storage Company, H. Reiter, No. 618 Rebecca street; H. Pierce, No. 225 Kelley avenue; N. H. Crowe, No. 658 Peebles street; Albert Beam, No. 717 Wallace aenue; Vogle & Sons, W. H. Holmes, No. 634 Peebles street, R. Swisshelm, No. 903 May street; William F. Young, D. G. Kuhn, No. 737 Penn avenue.

Burgess Homer's crusade has extended to the milkmen and as a result the farmers are kicking, and those who have been notified are liable to arrest at any time if they do not pay up. It is expected that a number of arrests of milkmen will be made in a few days.

CALL IT PERSECUTION.

Creditors of George W. Clark at Lynn, Mass., Say the Police Should Drop the Matter.

LYNN, MASS., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Settlement in full of the accounts of the Lynn creditors of George W. Clark of Pittsburgh and Lynn, has worked wonders in their feelings toward young Clark. They now say that they do not wish to have him brought back here for trial, and some of them even go so far as to claim that the determination of the Lynn police to have Clark put on trial is persecution.

Lewis A. Hugo, on whom Clark passed a $100 check in November, says: "I've been paid and I'd lend Clark $100 tomorrow."

S. Domasky, the furrier, the proprietor of the Hotel Seymour and others say they have been paid. The police, however, are relentless, and though admitting that the case against Clark is but petit larceny, say they are bound to try him.

YOUNGS OUT IN FIFTH.

Eddie Kennedy's Punches Too Much for His Opponent in Ring Battle at Kittanning.

KITTANNING, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—After fighting a hard, swift five-round go, Joe Youngs got up against a heavy one and went down for the count. Eddie Kennedy winning after one minute of fighting in the fifth round. The fight opened up hammer and tongs, Kennedy landing heavier, while Youngs planted his share on Kennedy's body.

In the fifth round Kennedy rushed and Youngs clinched. Kennedy's right suddenly landed on Young's jaw. Youngs went down, but got on his feet, only to go down from another blow which landed in the same place, and the referee counted him out.

ANTHRACITE WASHERY RESUMES OPERATION

Coal Plant Near Wilkesbarre Is Started Up Under a Strong Guard.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 20.—The coal operators of the Wyoming region took a step forward today. The Warnke washery at Duryea, under a strong guard, was kept in operation all day and the Maltby breaker of the Lehigh Valley Coal company prepared a lot of coal, which had already been mined, for the market.

At strike headquarters it is claimed that the output of coal was very small and that 50 or 60 special officers were required to protect the few men employed.

The strike leaders think that J. Pierpont Morgan will consent to a conference of some kind with President Mitchell and that the strike will be over by September 1.

W. F. Clark, a photographer of this city, recently addressed a letter to President Baer of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company, appealing to him as a Christian to settle the strike. The writer said if Christ was taken more into business affairs there would be less trouble and that if Mr. Baer granted the strikers a slight concession they would gladly return to work, and the president of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company would have the blessing of God and they respect of the nation.

President Baer replied as follows:

I see you are evidently biased in your religious views in favor of the right of the workingman to control a business in which he has no other interest than to secure fair wages for the work he does. I beg of you not to be discouraged. The rights and interests of the laboring man will be protected and cared for, not by the labor agitators, but by the Christian men, to whom God in His infinite wisdom has given the control of the property interests of this country. Pray earnestly that the right may triumph, always remembering that the Lord God omnipotent still reigns and that His reign is one of law and order, and not of violence and crime.

HOW TO SELECT A PIANO.

Experience Not Necessary.

Pittsburgh, June 20.—Few people realize the importance in the selection of a piano for their home. It means a companion for a lifetime. If it becomes harsh or "tinpanny" in tone you will always be dissatisfied. If you select a world-renowned make, like the genuine Chickering or the old reliable Hardman piano, you are sure to have a standard make with a sweet, singing, poetic and mellow tone that will last a lifetime. These pianos are sold only by Frederick's Reliable Music Store, 633 Smithfield street. Also 10 other reliable makes at reasonable prices. Catalogue free. Largest selection of pianos in Pittsburgh. Entire building. Bargains in used Chickering, Hardman and Steinway pianos. G. Schroeder, Mgr.

Men's Hats Selling at Half This Week.

Summer hats of all sorts—Soft felts in all the right shapes—Straw hats in a dozen different styles—Golf and Tennis Caps—All at just half—An opportunity for men who are going away—or who want to be comfortable at home—

J. G. BENNETT & CO.,
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The Largest Jewelry Establishment in Pittsburgh.

The Summer Campaign may supply you with the necessity of buying a

SOLITAIRE DIAMOND RING.

The assortment here is complete in prices and sizes.

HARDY & CO. HAYES,
213-215 Fifth Avenue.
We close at 5 o'clock Saturdays at 1 o'clock.

RECORDER BROWN AND M'ALEESE CONFERRED

They Spent an Hour Discussing Affairs of the Police Bureau.

City Recorder J. O. Brown has decided to remedy the complications among the Pittsburgh policemen and the disorganization of the bluecoats will be brought to an end. Yesterday afternoon the recorder sent for Superintendent of Police John McAleese and the two officials had a long conference at the City hall. For an hour they discussed the troubles among the police. What result they reached is not known, as neither would discuss the nature of the conference.

It was learned from an authoritative source last night that Recorder Brown will insist that the officers arraigned on Monday before the police board be dismissed from service. City Recorder Brown expressed himself in that manner earlier in the day. He said that the police were certainly a troublesome lot, but that his turn was coming.

It is also the intention of Supt. McAleese to resort to extreme measures with those officers who were "on the books" at the safety palace on Monday. Since his return from his Lawrence county farm he has realized the serious condition of affairs that exists among the police. It is believed that the majority of the 32 officers who were before the police board on Monday will be finally dismissed. This will not occur until the end of the week, as the reports of the hearings have not been made out and submitted to Recorder Brown.

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Alarming Apparent Excess Shown by Larkin's Statement to Brown.

FIGURES FOR RECORDER

Promised Communication Is Made Public and It Contains Much Food for Sober Thought and Serious Consideration.

City Controller John B. Larkin yesterday sent to Recorder J. O. Brown the promised communication, warning him that unless the expenditures of the departments of the city are kept down there will be a deficit of city funds by November 15.

Attached to the communication was a statement of the condition of the city's finances, giving the appropriations, prior balances and transfers, the net balances to date, unpaid contracts, total balances available and 52 per cent estimated proportion of cash to cover same.

According to the summary obtained from these statements, the claims and charges against the city for the current fiscal year will exceed the revenues by $1,364,703 42. The total appropriations, prior balances and transfers credited to the several items amount to $5,529,361 83; net balances to date, $2,718,930 05; unpaid contracts, $570,515 33; total balances available, $3,289,454 38; 52 per cent estimated proportion of cash to meet the same, $1,480,452.

The controller, after sending his communication to the recorder, said he did not care to discuss it at length until he had received a reply from Recorder Brown. Just when the recorder will make his answer to the communication is not known.

When seen after the statement had been sent to his office, Recorder Brown said: "Controller Larkin's communication has not yet reached me, and I have had an opportunity to examine it. I have nothing to say at this time. There is plenty of time to talk on it later."

Heroic Measures Suggested.

His communication Controller Larkin does not suggest any remedy for the threatened deficit, but states that he will not sign any warrants unless there is money in the treasury to meet them. The controller suggests that some "heroic measures" must be taken to make revenues and absolute requirements meet, but claims it is not in his power to say where the "pruning knife" shall be used.

The full communication is as follows:

"Hon. J. O. Brown, City Recorder.

"Dear Sir—As the executive officer of this city it is due that the accounting officer give you timely notice of its fiscal affairs, when such notice is essential to prudent administration or may prevent unfortunate conditions.

"Some two months ago I did all that seemed consistent to caution those charged with the expenditure of city funds against lavish, or imprudent use of the money intrusted to them, without effect, so far as I can observe. The result is that the departments of government will have expended by November 1 their allotments of money for fiscal year.

Appropriations Have Been Exceeded.

"Concern for the safety of life and property in the future, as well as to provide against threatened exigencies, leads me to give early notice rather than notify you when notice could not avail.

"From the statement of E. E. Phelps, the accountant of this office, herewith inclosed, it will be seen that in the first six months of the fiscal year ended July 31 the appropriations have not only been lived up to, but exceeded beyond what prudent management should have permitted; especially in view of the experience of past years when revenues always fell short of estimates and left entailments for the succeeding year.

"True, some of the contracts unpaid, but representing mortgaged funds, were carried over from last year, and with some of those made this year may not have to be met, but that money cannot be depended on for other purposes. In addition to the warrants drawn and contracts made, bills for supplies during the month of July amounting to about $100,000 have yet to be approved.

"The cash in treasury August 1 available for use of departments amounted to $837,581 34. Add to this estimated receipts from all other sources for balance of fiscal year, $1,087,169 62, giving you a total of $1,924,750 96, from which must be deducted the unexpended balance of $446,322 84, credited to education and controlled by central board, leaving a total cash balance of $1,478,428 12 with which to pay $2,843,131 54, leaving unpaid $1,364,703 42.

"In other words, the cash, after providing for fixed charges, the preservation of reserve funds and education, promises to be short or deficient as in other years.

Puts His Foot Down Hard.

"The usual way of bridging over this shortage has been for the controller to issue warrants and have the treasurer borrow money for their payment, rather than have the warrants peddled about the streets or cashed by private individuals.

"Under the new charter I beg to advise that no warrants will be drawn unless there is money in the treasury to meet them, no matter how much apparent balance there is in the inflated appropriations.

"These appropriations seem conceived purposely to permit contracts to be made and expense incurred beyond the power of payment, from revenues of the year, and are, therefore, unreliable.

"It is not the province of the controller to say how the economies necessary shall be brought about, or where the pruning knife shall be employed, but some heroic measure must be taken to make revenues and absolute requirements meet.

"I have pro-rated arbitrarily the estimated revenues among the appropriations to show about how much remains available should all be drawn on in proportion, although that is discretionary with you and the directors of departments.

"Very respectfully,

"J. B. LARKIN, Controller."

A Great Array of Figures.

The full statement of the appropriations, balances and cash to meet them follows: The number before each item is the number of the appropriation from which the fund is drawn:

	Appropriations, Prior Balances and Transfers.	Net Balances to Date.	Unpaid Contracts.	Total Balances Available.	52 Per Cent Estimated Proportion of Cash to Cover Same.
1—Salaries	$ 135,691 17	$ 71,862 51		$ 71,862 51	$ 37,360 00
2—Education	866,812 54	446,322 84		446,322 84	
3—Interest on street and sewer contracts	50,121 57	24,870 97		24,870 97	18,930 00
4—Department of public safety gen'l office	33,642 21	18,260 59		18,260 59	9,500 00
5—Bureau of fire	679,010 68	404,443 10	$ 13,565 33	418,008 43	217,360 00
6—Bureau of police and detectives	579,003 68	328,799 20	37,573 67	366,373 87	190,500 00
7—Bureau electricity	51,551 59	31,922 05	660 68	32,582 73	16,990 00
8—Bureau of health	188,458 61	81,038 10	19,330 62	101,268 72	520,690 00
9—Building inspection	15,167 40	8,726 85		8,726 85	4,540 00
10—Bureau of bridges	26,514 24	17,307 96	585 04	17,893 00	9,300 00
10—Underground cable system	67 00				
11—Department public works, general office	15,728 95	8,947 86		8,947 80	4,650 00
11—Bureau surveys	33,578 09	19,610 93		19,610 93	10,200 00
11—Bureau highways and sewers	474,040 18	203,574 47	11,427 00	215,001 47	112,800 00
11—Bureau city property	57,052 05	31,268 89	1,400 00	32,668 89	18,990 00
11—Bureau water	357,141 26	122,991 38	121,415 36	244,406 72	127,109 00
11—Bureau assessments of water rents	13,530 75	5,443 47		5,443 47	2,830 00
11—Bureau light	350,119 28	213,822 07		213,822 67	111,190 00
11—Boards of viewers	20,112 16	13,839 59		13,839 59	7,200 00
11—Bureau parks	142,315 52	80,000 49	5,269 37	85,269 86	44,340 00
11—Street repaving	316,927 88	72,790 10	198,754 40	271,544 50	141,200 00
11—Department charities and correction	207,503 08	130,909 59	15,052 84	145,962 43	75,900 00
11—Departm't assessors	25,736 64	14,155 47		14,155 47	7,360 00
11—Smallpox bedding	770 78	22 50		22 50	12 00
11—Carnegie library	131,000 00	69,338 26		69,338 26	36,960 00
11—Contingent fund	78,606 59	53,341 17		53,341 17	27,740 00
11—Finance fund	20,728 01	18,356 74	1,283 87	19,624 61	10,200 00
11—Printing	60,075 58	25,425 63	12,850 30	38,275 93	19,900 00
11—Elections	5,061 00	3,316 83		3,316 83	1,720 00
11—Bureau construction	82,614 00	43,377 10		43,377 10	22,560 00
11—Bureau deed registry	10,833 00	6,047 36		6,047 36	3,200 00
11—Boardwalks and steps	30,000 00		30,550 42	30,550 42	15,890 00
11—Refunding city tax	1,221 07	709 11		709 11	360 00
11—Claims for water pipe extension	41,500 00	38,558 66		38,558 66	20,050 00
11—Assessments against city for streets and sewers	263,005 31	7,276 05		7,276 05	3,780 00
11—Firemen's Relief and Benevolent association	12,053 81				
11—Refunding assessments on Center avenue, grading, paving and curbing	1,025 88	1,025 88		1,025 88	530 00
11—Penn and Liberty avenues, change of grade	4,984 00	4,984 00	51,929 15	56,913 15	29,600 00
11—Extension service water pipe	762 61	14 55	4,696 56	4,711 11	2,450 00
11—Bond street bridge	2,500 00	2,500 00		2,500 00	1,300 00
11—Retaining wall Stanton avenue	5,000 00	5,000 00		5,000 00	2,600 00
11—Improvement Boggs and Washington avenues	745 42	745 42		745 42	390 00
11—Improvement Olympia street	1,000 00	1,000 00		1,000 00	520 00
11—Retaining wall Second avenue	5,000 00	5,000 00		5,000 00	2,600 00
11—Retaining wall Flowers avenue	5,000 00				
210—Grading, paving and curbing Forty-fifth street	7,500 00	7,500 00		7,500 00	3,900 00
211—Diana alley	2,500 00	2,500 00		2,500 00	1,300 00
The Oakland bridge	40,000 00		40,000 00	40,000 00	20,800 00
214—Grading, paving and curbing Thirty-third street	1,500 00	1,500 00		1,500 00	780 00
215—G. A. R., Memorial Day	1,729 36	461 09		461 09	240 00
216—Fourteenth and Eighteenth regiments, N. G. P.	9,000 25	9,000 25		9,000 25	4,680 00
116—Recreation grounds, act of 1895	2,565 39	2,353 09		2,353 99	1,220 00
117—Erection, renewal and repair of bridges	57,800 00	57,800 00	4,261 12	62,061 12	32,270 00
	$5,529,361 83	$2,718,930 05	$570,515 33	$3,289,454 38	$1,480,452 00

SUMMARY.

Cash balance in treasury August 1	$7,778,874 57
Amount of reserve funds	6,941,293 23
Amount available for departments	$ 837,581 34
Estimated revenue to end of year	1,087,169 62
Total estimated amount cash for department expenditure to end of year	$1,924,750 96
Less education	446,322 84
Balance for all other running expenses	$1,478,428 12
Total unexpended balances in appropriations and contracts as above	$3,289,454 38
Less education, as above	446,322 84
	2,843,131 54
Amount of claims and charges in apparent excess of revenue	$1,364,703 42

TRIBUTE TO MRS. FULTON.

Many Pittsburgh People at Station to Show Their Sympathy.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—A special car containing the members of the Fulton family and the remains of Mrs. Agnes R. Fulton, who died last night, left here this evening for Pittsburgh. Scores of friends of Andrew Fulton called at his hotel today to express their sympathy and he also received many telegrams of condolence from Pittsburgh. A large party of Pittsburghers gathered at the railroad station and paid the last tribute of respect.

$5.00 Niagara Falls and Return $5.00

Saturday, August 23d.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Trains leave Union station, Pittsburgh, at 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m., eastern standard time. Tickets good five days returning.

Standard day coaches and Pullman cars on both trains. Secure your Pullman space in advance.

COZY COTTAGES ARE A FEATURE AT THE CAMP MEETING GROUNDS NEAR TARENTUM

The Cottage of President J. M. Sterling.

Many Pittsburghers and residents of the neighboring towns have built cottages on the noted old camp grounds and make a practice of going there every summer and spending a month or so. At the same time they can enjoy a genuine old Methodist gathering. Today is "Children's Day" on the camp meeting program and specially enjoyable exercises are anticipated. At 10:30 o'clock this morning the Rev. Dr. N. H. Holmes of Braddock will preach a sermon appropriate to the day. At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the Rev. C. M. Miller of Pittsburgh will preach a special sermon to the children and this will be followed by a parade of the little ones through the grounds, the music for them to march being furnished by a band. This evening's services will be conducted by the Rev. L. R. Jones of Carnegie.

THE CANDIDATE FOR RECORDER NOT YET CHOSEN

Report That Citizens Party Leaders Had Picked Nominee Is Denied.

MOLEHILL DOES NOT GROW

Machine's Attempt to Make Mountain of Committeeman's Resignation Causes No Excitement—Hays to Head Campaign Committee.

The men at the head of affairs in the Citizens party have not yet decided on a candidate for recorder of Pittsburgh, and will not do so for months to come. This announcement comes from the highest authority and is confirmed by men active in the Citizens movement.

It has been repeatedly stated that Dr. Cadwallader Evans, chairman of the Citizens committee of 32, had been selected by the leaders and would be the candidate. Thomas S. Bigelow said last night: "No, we have not yet selected a man for the recordership nomination, and it will not be done until after the November election at the earliest.

"The Citizens party has in its ranks many men who would make splendid executives for the city, but there has as yet been no decision in regard to which one is the best, nor indeed has there been any considerable discussion of the matter."

Ring Grasps a Straw.

Mr. Bigelow's statement was confirmed by other men high in the councils of the party. The February election is a long way off. Dr. Evans' strength as a candidate is not questioned, and is likely to bring him into consideration for the nomination, but no decision on the leader of the city ticket will be made for months to come.

The ring organs are gloating over what they term a wholesale disruption of the Citizens organization in Allegheny. The matter was of such little import that it hardly created a ripple of excitement at the headquarters in Allegheny. The disruption consists in the retirement of Frank Voegtly from the Citizens committee in that city. Voegtly is said to have cast longing eyes on a legislative nomination, and being disappointed in this did not care to give his time to active campaign work.

The Citizens committee of 32 will hold another meeting next Tuesday to perfect the organization of some of the campaign committees. It is understood that Charles S. Crawford will be made chairman of the committees on meetings, and laws and forms, while William B. Hays will head the executive campaign committee.

Campaign Plans.

As soon as the organization of these subcommittees is complete, active work on mapping out the campaign will begin. A schedule of meetings will be arranged for each ward and legislative district, and the dates of the general rallies, which will probably be four in number, will be announced.

In the meantime the half dozen glee clubs that are to sing in various parts of the county during the campaign meetings are already organized and practicing.

The colored Citizens party committees of the Eleventh and Thirteenth wards, held a meeting yesterday in Third avenue headquarters and arranged the preliminaries for several meetings. A colored glee club will be the feature at the meetings of colored voters and is expected to stir up considerable enthusiasm.

Recorder Brown spent another day in his office, but had few callers. It is understood that the court house crowd is camping on his trail and busily attempting to undermine his control of the county campaign, as evidenced in a recent attack made on him by an organ of the ring. The demoralization in the ranks of the city machine has caused bickerings and quarrels in the county organization.

Machine Plan Bumped.

The well laid plan of the machine to operate under the name of the Union party with the names of Pattison and Guthrie at the head and the machine county ticket at the tail has received another blow. The Philadelphia members of that party have decided to support Judge Pennypacker for governor and to that end have an agent going through the state urging the county leaders to throw their support to the Republican state ticket.

It is probable that the delegates to the state convention of the Union party will go instructed to vote for the indorsement of Judge Pennypacker, while the details of the county ticket will be left to the county organizations.

ANOTHER CASE OF MAN'S DECEPTION

DELLA M'KENNA WEPT WHEN SHE FOUND HERSELF DESERTED.

Then Her Father Was Sent For, and He Did Not Rest Until Clyde H. Hawkins, the Man, Had Been Found and Arrested.

Another case of deception, the victim this time being a 15-year-old country girl, was brought to light at Union station yesterday when police officers found little Della McKenna of Donora sobbing in the waiting room. She had been waiting there all day, she said, for Clyde H. Hawkins of Ellsworth, aged 21 years, who had promised to meet her there early in the day and make her his wife. Both are under arrest now, at the request of the girl's father, who was frantic with wrath at the Central police station last night. He will take his daughter home this morning and will make an information against Hawkins for enticing her from home.

The young couple met last winter. He came from Andersonville, N. C., and she was impressed with his mild southern voice. He is a painter and came to Donora to work. Monday they agreed to elope. Boarding the train at that place they came to this city and registered at the Hotel Lafayette, at No. 1012 Liberty street, as brother and sister.

Their funds were limited and Hawkins told the young girl that he would go out among his friends and borrow $100 and then they would get married. He was unsuccessful that day. Tuesday brought no better results, and on that evening he told Della to meet him at the Union station the next morning and he would have the necessary money, and then they would go to Cumberland, Md., and be made one.

By agreement she went to the railroad station and waited. He did not appear. She became frightened and started to cry. The station officer saw her, and after some sharp questioning she broke down and revealed the whole plot.

Her father, Jonathan Albert McKenna, was sent for and he came to this city at once. He found his daughter at the station in custody of the officers and he decided to have the young man, too. She was taken to the Central police station and Detective Edward Barry and Capt. Charles K. Gallant went to the Hotel Lafayette and waited for Hawkins to return there. A watch was also placed at the Union station. As expected, Hawkins came to the hotel to get a grip he had left there and was placed under arrest.

Both were confronted by the girl's father at the station and he insisted that both be locked up until this morning.

SENATOR HANNA WILL NOT BE IN PITTSBURGH

Sends the Labor Day Committee Word That He Cannot Come.

John Fernau, secretary of the committee in charge of the Labor Day demonstration, yesterday received a telegram from Senator M. A. Hanna of Ohio in which the senator says: "Appreciate very much the invitation you desire to extend, but have an engagement for that day and regret that I could not accept." The Labor Day committee has extended an invitation to ex-Congressman Thomas W. Phillips of New Castle, father of the bill which instituted the industrial commission and who was its chairman.

At the weekly meeting of the general Labor Day committee last night it developed that there will be a rare sporting event for the day. Gilbert Barnes, "Old Soldier" Barnes, as he is familiarly known, has accepted a challenge of E. E. McClelland, the champion five-mile runner, for a contest. McClelland is a member of the Amalgamated association, working in the Zug mills. He offers Barnes a handicap of a mile. Chairman William J. Kelly of the committee on sports and prizes reported that all necessary prizes have been pledged by business men, the aggregate of their value being $500.

The meeting appointed a committee of three to protest against the work of firms said to be unfair engaged on the erection of stands for the Homewood carnival. This action was taken because the Labor Day committee has permitted the carnival people to participate in the parade, but only on condition that no unfair firms be represented.

L. J. Selser of the Amalgamated Association of Traction Employes was elected chief of staff to Chief Marshal Alexander Hunter vice Daniel Gildernew of the bricklayers, who declined to serve because his organization has voted against participation in the demonstration.

Stetson Leach Married.

Stetson Leach, general agent of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company of Milwaukee, Wis., was married last night in Philadelphia to Miss Mary Mills Fish. A special telegram to The Gazette states that the wedding took place in the Church of the Advocate, the Rev. Charles B. Williams officiating. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left the Quaker City, but would not reveal where they are to spend the honeymoon. Mr. Leach has his offices in the Park building and is well known here.

PITTSBURGH TO BE FIRST IN CAR WHEEL MAKING

Pennsylvania Malleable Co. Will Produce Wheels for Heaviest Cars.

WILL ERECT LARGE PLANT

By End of the Year Pittsburgh Will Make 1,500 Car Wheels Daily. New Foundry Will Employ 300 Men and Will Be Doubled Later.

Plans have been made and the investment arranged for which will make Pittsburgh a leader in the production of car wheels. This follows the growth of the car-making industry here through the introduction of the steel car. Six years ago Pittsburgh had no producers of car wheels, but before the end of the present year it will be ready to supply 1,500 wheels daily. A large new car wheel foundry will spring up in that time which will be designed to produce extra heavy wheels such as the large capacity cars require.

The Pennsylvania Malleable Company has arranged to cover what is available of its 10-acre site in McKees Rocks for a new car wheel foundry. This foundry will be equipped for an initial production of 600 wheels weighing 750 pounds each. This plant will add 300 men to the present pay-roll of 700 now employed by the company. Soon after the completion of the new car wheel foundry additions will be made which will double its capacity and nearly double its list of employes. The initial foundry will have one large cupola and in connection with the proposed additions two more will be built, one to be always held in reserve.

Will Make 1,200 Wheels Daily.

With the plans carried out the company will have a capacity for producing 1,200 wheels of 750 pounds each daily. The site of the new foundry and of the present works of the Pennsylvania Malleable Company immediately adjoins the McKees Rocks works of the Pressed Steel Car Company. The new foundry will produce such wheels as the car concerns have felt the need of in erection of cars of 50 and 55-ton capacity. This has called for a stronger wheel which will be provided by the Pennsylvania Malleable Company in its heavy wheels. Until now most of the car wheels made have been of 550 pounds each and less.

Producers at Chicago and Buffalo have practically controlled the car wheel trade. Entrance of the Pennsylvania Malleable Company into the production of car wheels will practically make Pittsburgh the center of production, while six years ago no wheels were made here. The Keystone Car Wheel Company now makes about 400 wheels daily at its Homestead works and the Pennsylvania Car Wheel Company about 500 at its plant in Woods Run.

The new car wheel foundry, along with new equipment that is being added to the works of the Pennsylvania Malleable Company, involve an investment of about $200,000. The new foundry will be 120 by 300 feet. Four massive electric cranes will be installed. The production of car wheels in this plant will aggregate 225 tons a day. Later on this will be doubled. The plant will be constructed after plans of C. W. Sherman, general manager of the Pennsylvania Malleable Company.

New Open-Hearth Furnace.

The Pennsylvania Malleable Company now has a capital investment of $600,000. Its product in malleable castings amounts to 50 tons daily. In connection with the additions that will be made to the plant there will be a new open-hearth furnace which will make the amount of malleable production upward of 60 tons daily.

Kerr & Fox of Pittsburgh have been awarded the contract for the erection of the building of the car foundry. The Whiting Foundry Equipment Company will install the necessary equipment for the foundry.

PRISONER BROKE AWAY.

He Escaped from a Constable But Was Recaptured.

A. F. Pierson of Allegheny, while being brought to jail by Constable Walter Johnston last night, broke loose from the officer at the prison entrance and made a desperate dash for liberty. A crowd pursued the prisoner, and he was recaptured before reaching Fifth avenue.

Pierson is accused of forging a check to which the name of Fred Trautman, a hotel proprietor of Homestead, was signed.

STATE BOSSES OF DEMOCRACY GET TOGETHER

Col. Guffey Consults With Party Leaders at Other End of State.

PENROSE DRIVES NAIL

Declares He Did Not Show Disregard For Allegheny County Regulars in Their Desperate Local Battle Against Obliteration.

By CHESTER D. POTTER,
Staff Correspondent.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 20.—Col. J. M. Guffey spent the day here in consultation with ex-Gov. Pattison, State Chairman Creasy, ex-Chairman John S. Rilling, City Chairman Charles Donnelly and ex-Senator P. Gray Meek, secretary of the executive committee.

Col. Guffey said the matters discussed were the notification meeting, which it was finally decided to hold at Reading, and the itinerary of Pattison and his fellow spellbinders on their tour of the state. Beyond this nothing was given out. Col. Guffey declined to say whether the Democratic state candidates would appear in the Union party column. He did not know, he said, and declined to make a prediction at this time. The Pittsburgh situation, the colonel said, was such that words could not describe it, and he did not care to make a diagram.

Morning papers here had, under a Pittsburgh date, a story in which Senator Penrose was alleged to have said he felt no particular concern as to the success of the regular Republican candidates in Allegheny county; that he was interested, first, in the election of Pennypacker; second, the mayor of Philadelphia; third, himself, and Allegheny came later. In positive and emphatic terms the senator today declared the story to be wholly false.

Judge Pennypacker will make his first speech of the campaign Saturday at the Lehigh Republican county meeting at Fogelsville. Judge Pennypacker will be accompanied by Senator Penrose, who, it is understood, will make the principal speech and will outline the issues of the campaign. Judge Pennypacker's speech will not be entirely of a political character, it is stated, and it took a big effort to get him to go to Lehigh county at all.

Ex-Senator N. B. Critchfield, a prominent farmer and active member of the Grange of Somerset county, was in the city today, and when asked his opinion of the outlook in the state, said:

"I have no means of judging what the condition may be in other parts of the state, but if it be the same that it is in the southwestern section, there can be no question regarding the election of Judge Pennypacker, as well as the return of Mr. Penrose to the senate. Among the farmers, especially of Southwestern Pennsylvania, the name of Judge Pennypacker stands for everything that should be embodied in the character of a chief executive of the commonwealth.

"We have full faith both in his ability and integrity, and we feel sure that not only the agricultural interest of the state, but every other interest of our people will be safe in his hands.

"Senator Penrose is regarded as an able legislator and one in whose hands the interests of the whole people can be confided. There need be no fear of the result in our section of the state."

A Dog Day Story Denied.

Judge Pennypacker today emphatically denied the report from Pittsburgh that if elected governor he will advance to the supreme court of the United States to succeed Justice Shiras and leave the governorship to William M. Brown of New Castle, who will be lieutenant governor.

"The first knowledge I had of this matter, and the use of my name in connection therewith, was when I read the dispatch in yesterday's papers," he said. "I have never once given the question of the supreme justiceship the slightest thought, and as to the use of my name as a probable successor to Justice Shiras in the event of his retirement, there is no authority for it whatever. I was nominated by the Republican party as its candidate for governor, and nothing else."

It was definitely learned today that the League of Republican Clubs will hold its annual convention in St. Louis on September 29 and 30. This is the first announcement of the dates for the convention, and although the convention will be earlier than expected a large delegation will go from this city. Philadelphia is especially interested in the convention from the fact that the eastern friends of J. Hampton Moore have taken him up for the presidency of the league.

NEW MAGYAR CHURCH.

Presbyterians Plan One at Braddock for Lower Monongahela Valley.

Steps are being taken in Braddock toward the organization of a Magyar Presbyterian church for all the Magyars in the lower Monongahela valley. The movement was started by the leading Presbyterian ministers at the last presbytery held at Blairsville.

The Rev. Julius Hamboszky, a Magyar Presbyterian minister, has been in Braddock during the week visiting Magyar families and reports his mission as highly successful. It is claimed that 13,000 Magyars reside in Braddock, Homestead, Duquesne, McKeesport and other nearby towns who will worship in the church if it is organized. A meeting of the Magyars has been called for next Sunday to complete the work of organizing.

OSGOOD AGAIN DEFEATS GATES

INJUNCTION STOPS THE COLORADO FUEL & IRON ELECTION.

Application Alleges That the Controversy in the Company Is Doing Vast Harm to the Shareholders and Asks Court Protection.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

DENVER, COL., Aug. 20.—Judge John I. Mullins of the district court issued an injunction that caused a postponement of the annual election of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, which was to have taken place this afternoon. The injunction was obtained by A. M. Stevenson, attorney for George F. Bartlett, a stockholder in the corporation.

The application alleged that the present controversy was doing vast harm to the shareholders, and asked that the property be protected by stopping the fight until such time as a hearing could be had in court. All these things were granted in Judge Mullin's order.

George F. Bartlett is secretary of the Victor Fuel Company, and although he avers this move is made of his own volition, it is understood, nevertheless, that he is acting in the interest of John C. Osgood, who is said to be without sufficient stock to elect a board and who, it is alleged, wants the matter postponed until such time as he can acquire other stock. Osgood is also more than anxious to be relieved from John W. Gates' threat to keep up litigation until a compromise shall be effected. The Gates people disavow any connection with Bartlett or knowledge of his move.

The effect of this injunction will be to stop the fight until the injunction shall be dissolved, either by an answer made to it or by a higher authority than the district court.

Gates and all the shareholders in the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, whom Gates is presumed to represent, are made defendants in the action. Other stockholders who, it is averred, are being made to lose money by the quarrel over the control of the company, are invited to join the plaintiff, Bartlett, in his action to stop the factional quarrel until the court shall determine the merits of the case.

One effect of the injunction, unless it is dissolved, will be to continue Osgood, Kebler and the rest of the present regime in office until their successors shall be chosen. The general belief is that a compromise will result from the Bartlett injunction.

A large force of deputy sheriffs is at the Boston block headquarters of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, prepared for any emergency.

The defendants, Gates, Blair and Mitchell, together with other defendants acting with them, immediately gave notice to dissolve the injunction and the matter will be called up for hearing as soon as practicable.

MORE MEASURES TO HELP THE RAILROADS

Steps Taken in Allegheny Select Council for Improving Service of Ohio Connecting Bridge.

At a meeting of Allegheny select council held yesterday afternoon an ordinance was introduced by Peter Born of the Seventh ward granting the Ohio Connecting Railway Company a right of way from its bridge over the Ohio river to a point at the city line on Jacks Run. Mr. Born also introduced ordinances for the vacation of parts of thoroughfares, in order to allow the railway company to lay its tracks over the proposed right of way, as follows: A 20-foot alley south of McClure avenue, Forsythe street, the Leckey road, Locust street, Falck avenue, Perry lane, Florida avenue and Caldwell street.

Mr. Born also introduced ordinances for the vacation of South Canal street, from Federal street to Sandusky street. The last ordinance is in the interest of the raising of the West Penn tracks.

Other ordinances introduced increase the salary of the organist at the Carnegie Music hall from $800 to $1,200 per year, and fix the wages of laborers in the park at $2 per day. All these ordinances were referred to their respective committees without debate.

The ordinance fixing the salary of the superintendent of the bureau of water at $3,000 per year, which was laid over at the last regular meeting for want of a legal majority, passed finally by a vote of 10 to 2, John A. Born and John Hock voting "no."

Other ordinances which passed finally were:

For a latteral sewer in Beuna Vista street, grading, paving and curbing a 40-foot street paralleling the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railroad Company's tracks in the First ward, and McIntyre and Superior avenues, and granting J. Solomon the right to erect a weigh scale in Knox street.

PICNIC FOR ORPHANS.

Nearly 2,000 People Were Present at Calhoun Park.

Nearly 2,000 people attended the Orphans' picnic yesterday in Calhoun park under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid societies of the various German Catholic parishes in the two cities. The picnic was for the benefit of the German Catholic Orphan asylum in Troy Hill. The Rev. Father J. B. Duffner is president of the institution. Father Duffner took about 70 of the orphans to the park. It was intended to take all of the 300, but the weather was too uncertain to venture with the smaller ones.

Mrs. M. C. Freker, president of the society, was general manager of the day. The representatives of the branches in the following parishes were her assistants: Branch No. 205 of Troy Hill, 203 of Sharpsburg, 103 of St. Augustine's, 247 of St. Mary's, 171 of St. Philomena's, 83 of St. George's and 105 of Trinity.

Three Persons Drowned.

BRIDGETON, N. J., Aug. 20.—Neille and Bertha Fralinger and Peter Degar were drowned today at Cumberland Causeway. The party were crabbing and the two young women fell overboard. Degar jumped after them and all three sank.

Passed Gravel Stone as Large as a Pea.

Royersford, Pa., April 19th, 1902.
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WIND WORST DRAWBACK

Some Poor Results Caused by Its Choppy Nature — New Arrivals Cause Talk of Trip to Anthracite Coal Region—Camp's Good Health.

By ROBERT WRAY,
Staff Correspondent.

Rifle Range, Mt. Gretna, Pa., Aug. 20.—When the dawn broke there was every indication that it would be an ideal day for rifle shooting, and it so proved until the sun had reached the meridian. Then the wind started and trouble commenced for the marksmen. Often before the close of the regimental and cavalry matches the shooters had to take two points of wind in the gauges. This means that the rifles had to be held 70 inches to the windward of the 600-yard ranges to get into the bulls-eye.

Very good scores had been made previous to the wind's rising, but they commenced to fall off after this. Both matches were hotly contested and excited great enthusiasm among officers and men. It required the final shot to settle the regimental match, which was won by the Thirteenth regiment by five points.

The Sixth regiment team, when it came to the 600-yard firing point, led the Thirteenth by five points. And it was conceded that the team would win the match. The wind at this time was choppy and occasionally blew in fishtail flurries, veering around to all points of the compass.

Gets Wrong Wind.

When the first man of the Sixth regiment team lay down to fire the opening shot on this range, the wind was blowing very strong. In setting his wind-gauge on his "Krag" he took a right wind when he should have taken a left wind. When the shot was fired it was signaled as a miss. But there still remained a chance for the team to win.

When it came to the last shot a bulls-eye was necessary. The shot was fired and only 4 was run up. That settled it, the score being a tie between the two teams, both totals being 339.

Under the rules of the state shoot the score made on the last range decided the contest. The Thirteenth team had made 102, while the team of the Sixth had only scored 97 points.

The cavalry match was won by the Second City troop, which beat the crack team of the First City troop by 14 points. The Sixteenth regiment will retain the Gen. Miller trophy, which the team won last year. The Fourteenth team won this trophy the first year it was offered, but lost it to the Sixteenth two years ago. The trophy is a handsome bronze figure of Sheridan on the famous horse which carried him from Winchester when defeat was turned into victory.

Makes Good Fight.

The Fourteenth gave the winning team a sharp contest, as they were defeated by only 7 points. The trophy is accompanied by six gold medals, which will be given to the team, its inspector of rifle practice and reserve.

The first half of the inspectors of rifle practice match was shot at known distances this afternoon and will be finished in the morning, when they will shoot at unknown distances. The contest will be very close, as the officers are numbered among the best sharpshooters in the division. While the first half of the inspectors' match was being shot the men were in action on the skirmish practice. All firing was done by bugler accompanying Col. Patterson, who was mounted over the range. The skirmish match will be shot in the morning. Tomorrow afternoon brigade practice will be held and after the individual averages for the week have been figured out the brigade team will be selected.

The brigade match will be shot on Friday and will close the contests here, after which the team to represent the state at Sea Girt, N. J., will be selected. This team will be selected immediately after the close of the brigade match and will leave here for Sea Girt, N. J., range on Saturday, where it will have a week's practice before the interstate shoots open. At Sea Girt the Pennsylvania team will take part in the president's all-comer regimental skirmish and other matches. The shoot at Sea Girt this year gives promise of being the most interesting ever held at the range, as teams from nearly every state in the country have been entered.

Only One Man Ill.

While there has been a magnificent hospital on the range here, it has not had a single occupant. The health of the men has been good and the surgeon in charge of the company has not yet been called upon to take care of any of them with the exception of Lieut. Thomas Connelly of Bradford, inspector of rifle practice of the Fourteenth regiment, who is in charge of the team. He has not been in good health for a long time, and a few hours after the regimental match was decided took a sinking spell. He was within a short distance of his tent at the time and his son Frank, who is a member of the Sixteenth team, was sent for. Surgeon J. M. Peters gave him restoratives. Lieut. Connelly's heart is very weak, and for a time his life was despaired of.

A thrilling incident occurred this morning. One of the hooks over No. 11 target became unloosened. Harry Shaffer, a telegraph lineman of Lebanon, volunteered to repair it. He took off his safety belt and attaching it to the slender wire to which the number boards are attached made a swing of it. Seating hiself in the swing of the belt, he swung himself along the wire to the number board and replaced the loosened hook. The distance swung was 40 feet, and 60 feet above the rifle pit. He was congratulated for his daring act, as the wire over which he passed was very frail.

Work on the new 1,000-yard range was started this afternoon. Col. Richardson had the range measured, and it will be completed in time to give the Sea Girt team a day's practice before leaving here. Later the range will be made permanent.

The splendid field glass made by Prof. J. A. Brashear of Pittsburgh for the Fourteenth regiment has excited great interest. It is the finest field glass ever seen on this range, as well as the most powerful. The glass is constructed on the same principal as the range-finder used on battleships, and works on a movable table.

In the all-comers' match today Private H. H. Leizaer of the Sixth regiment had the misfortune to fire his last shot at 500 yards on the wrong target. As he had 46 out of a possible 50 at 200 yards and seven bull's-eyes and two fours at 500 yards, this would have given him a total of 94, which would more than probably have won the prize.

The following are the total scores at the 200, 500 and 600-yard ranges: First regiment, 330; Second, 306; Third, 322; Fourth, 272; Fifth, 308; Sixth, 339; Eighth, 331; Ninth, 320; Tenth, 306; Twelfth, 287; Thirteenth, 339; Fourteenth, 346; Sixteenth, 323; Eighteenth, 294; Cavalry match—First City troop, 317; Second City troop, 251; Governor's troop, 209; Sheridan troop, 297.

Team of the Eighteenth Infantry Firing Around the Clock at 600 Yards.

Franklin Physician and Daughter Drowned; Mine Guards Are Fired Upon from Ambush

TWO DROWNED IN CONNEAUT

Dr. McDowell and Daughter of Franklin, Are Thrown from Skiff.

RUN DOWN BY A STEAMER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
FRANKLIN, PA., Aug. 20.—Dr. G. E. McDowell and his daughter Laura, aged 12, were drowned in Conneaut lake this evening, and up to a late hour their bodies had not been recovered. Dr. McDowell, accompanied by his wife, his son Ray, aged 10, and his daughter Laura left Franklin Tuesday to spend the balance of the week at Conneaut lake, where they were to be joined tomorrow by a brother, Alexander McDowell, and family.

This evening the doctor took a skiff, and accompanied by his wife and children, started out on the lake in the moonlight. After having been out for more than an hour they started for home, and when about 300 yards from the landing they were overtaken and run down by the small steamer Iroquois, Capt. Harry Quigley. With a cry of terror, the entire family was thrown into the water, and the little girl at once sank.

Mrs. McDowell and her son clung to the skiff and the father dove for the little girl. He was caught under the skiff, however, it is thought, and both he and the little girl were drowned.

The captain of the Iroquois, together with the crew, made every effort to rescue the entire party, but only succeeded in saving Mrs. McDowell and the boy. They were taken to shore and were found to be but little the worse for their experience. An immediate search was made for the bodies of the doctor and his child, but they are probably at the bottom of the lake.

Dr. McDowell was a member of one of the oldest and best known families in this end of the state, being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McDowell of Franklin, and having a large family connection. He is a nephew of the Hon. Alexander McDowell of Sharon. He was 45 years old and a prominent doctor in this town. It is stated that he was but little experienced in the handling of a skiff, and was comparatively helpless when the accident came.

The crew of the Iroquois can give no explanation as to how the accident occurred, and it is not thought they saw the skiff ahead of them until they were upon it. The drowning created the most intense excitement at the lake, and hundreds of people turned out in the search for the bodies. The wife and son will be brought to Franklin.

To Award Court House Contract.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The county commissioners will choose a contractor for the new courthouse this week. That announcement was made tonight. County Controller John H. Brown has been in receipt of many telegrams and letters from prominent persons recommending the selection of Drake & Caldwell, who are the lowest bidders for both granite and sandstone.

Assaulted an Officer.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Constable James Laird, who has been the victim of a number of assaults by desperadoes in South Huntingdon township, was attacked by Mike Gallagher last night and terribly beaten. He is at his home in a critical condition. Gallagher was arrested today by Officer Cooper of Monessen and brought here to jail.

Will Get Carnegie Organ.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The members of the Central Presbyterian church of this city have received word from Andrew Carnegie that he will donate a pipe organ. W. O. Mayer of Pittsburgh writes that the organ will be ready to be placed during October. Mrs. J. B. Griffith wrote to Mr. Carnegie making the request.

Five Italians Badly Injured.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Four Italians were frightfully injured at the center dump at Mingo Junction mill this evening, and a fifth sustained minor bruises. Bolten cinders in a big ladle had chilled and the men were using crowbars to break the mass open, when it broke unexpectedly and the molten cinders poured out on the workmen. The men are known only by numbers.

Ex-Soldier Killed by Lightning.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Thomas E. Thevenin (known as Tievener) was killed by lightning two miles below here while standing in a doorway tonight. His little daughter, in the same room, was badly burned, but will recover, and his wife was severely shocked. Tievener was a Spanish-American soldier on pension.

Railroad Buys a Farm.

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 20.—The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad has been endeavoring to purchase the James Kearns farm at the eastern edge of this city. It is said that an agreement has been reached and the deal closed, the price being over $60,000. It is thought the railroad will establish large car repair shops on the tract.

HIBERNIANS ELECT STATE OFFICERS

John P. Kelly of Pittsburgh Chosen Treasurer at Wilkesbarre.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]
WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 20.—Today's sessions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians state convention were taken up with the reading of reports from committees, the adoption of resolutions and the election of officers. One thousand dollars was voted to the striking miners. The total membership of the order in Pennsylvania is 28,202. There is a balance in the treasury of $125,780.45.

The officers elected were: President, Patrick Donohue, Philadelphia; vice president, C. C. Donovan, Scranton; secretary, John P. Gibbons, Hudson; treasurer, John P. Kelly, Pittsburgh.

Among the resolutions adopted was the following:

"We renew our vows of unswerving loyalty to our sovereign Pontiff Leo XIII and to the teachings of the Roman Catholic church and pledge again our unfaltering devotion to this republic, where, under the blessings of civil and religious liberty and equality of opportunity, our race has forged to the foremost place."

JAIL NEEDS FIXING.

Three More Prisoners Make Their Escape at Parkersburg.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The escape of three prisoners from the Wood county jail early this morning makes the number who have escaped within two weeks 14. Those who got away last night were Ben Craig, held for postoffice robbery; Lauder Wilson, burglary, and William Sprouse, serving 60 days for failure to provide for his family.

They dug through the brick wall and escaped with a rope made from their bedding. Craig was caught within 12 hours after he escaped by Capt. J. R. Mehen.

AGED INVENTOR DEAD.

Joseph Shirk, Who Originated the Grain Cradle, Passes Away.

LANCASTER, PA., Aug. 20.—Joseph Shirk, the inventor of the grain cradle, died today at his home in East Earl township, this county. He was 83 years old.

In the early thirties Shirk made a revolver which is believed to have been the first firearm ever made with a revolving chamber. He claimed to have shown this weapon to Colt, and shortly afterward the Colt company was organized and commenced the manufacture of them.

Sentenced for Wife Beating.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—After beating his wife until her face and sides were black and blue, Anthony Gianfrancesco, it is alleged, threatened to tie her hands and feet and lay her across a railroad track to be killed last night. As a result he was today sent to the Allegheny workhouse for four months. The husband gave no explanation other than to say that his wife needed beating.

Beaten by Man and Wife.

GREENSBURG, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Fred Sefzo and his wife waylaid John Henbrick of the vicinity of Manor station last night and inflicted injuries which will doubtless prove fatal. The injured man is at his home in a critical condition. Sefzo and his wife were armed with clubs. They were arrested this afternoon.

Bedford Convention Delayed.

BEDFORD, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The senatorial convention was held at the Arandale hotel this evening and adjourned until tomorrow owing to the absence of several of the Somerset and Fulton county conferees, who are expected to arrive late tonight or tomorrow morning.

To Extend Trolley Line.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The New Castle Traction Company today announced that it will extend its Pittsburgh street line a mile farther toward the city limits to accommodate the rapid increase in population in that locality.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, PA., Aug. 20.—Charters were issued today to the following corporations: Negley & Clark Company, Pittsburgh, capital $1,000; Ormsby Gas Company, Newton, McKean county, capital $30,000.

Gas Burns Thirty Years.

According to experts there is enough natural gas in the Philadelphia Company's wells to last Greater Pittsburgh 30 years. Now is the time for non-consumers to make a free contract. To all who apply this month the company will make connections and set meter free of charge. Gas is cheaper, cleaner, safer and better than coal, which will be dear this winter because of the miners' strike. Ask at 616 Wood street.

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STRIKERS FIRE UPON DEPUTIES

Ambushing Parties Shoot at Mine Guards in West Virginia.

OPERATORS PROTECTING MEN

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
CHARLESTON, W. VA., Aug. 20.—Ambushing parties of strikers are beginning to fire at the mine guards in the New river coal field, as miners go to and from their work. Engineer Krebs, while driving a freight engine up the Loup creek branch of the Chesapeake & Ohio last evening, was shot at from ambush, the bullet passing through the cab window and narrowly missing the engineer. The firing was followed by the hurling of a large boulder through the cab.

Near Red Ash yesterday several shots were fired at the guards on duty at the mines. The guards returned the fire and advanced toward the point whence the firing came, in the hope of capturing some of the firing party, but the latter retreated.

Several hundred new men have gone into the field within the past week and more are arriving daily. The operators are increasing the number of guards and declare they will protect the men who want to work.

Robbed by Masked Men.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—A. Zeigiar of Cascade street reported to the police this morning that he had been robbed of over $100 by three masked men last night. He was sitting on his verandah rather late when the men came up and covered him with their revolvers. They ordered him to go into his house and get the money. This he did. The money belonged in great part to the local plasterers' union, of which Zeigiar is treasurer.

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CAMPBELL'S
THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

friday bargains that are genuine

IT'S EASY ENOUGH to compile price lists and flaunt them forth as bargain offerings, but unless they are genuine the reading of them is a mere waste of time. This store uses its space to print news of genuine bargains—it stands back of every item with the guarantee that money will be refunded if goods and prices are not exactly as described. That is why the following list for Friday should prove interesting and profitable reading.

wash goods

Large assortment of Silk Ginghams, lace striped Novelties and Imported Ginghams, in a good range of styles and colorings; reduced from 25c, 39c and 50c yd., to..... 19c

Fine Irish Dimities, Lawns, Batistes, Oxford Suitings and Hopsack Suitings, in striped and figured effects; regular 25c goods; to close Friday at..... 10c

Lot of Imported Ginghams — in good, serviceable styles and colorings; sold up to 30c yd.; to close on Friday at..... 8⅓c

silks

Lot of fine Printed Foulards and Printed Satins — all this season's styles, in large and small figured effects; good line of colors; regular 75c line cut to..... 29c

Lot of very fine Satin Foulards—in polka dots and scroll designs—very handsome effects; choicest line of colorings; sold all season at $1.00 and $1.25 yd. Friday at..... 49c

Yard wide Black Taffeta — all pure silk, soft finish; regular $1.25 value. Special Friday at..... $1.00

dress goods

Fine 52-inch All-Wool Black Venetian and Satin Finished Broadcloth—will be more popular than ever for fall wear; a regular $1.25 value on Friday at..... 89c

Handsome line of Waist Materials just received—pretty striped and corded effects in a large variety of colors—the handsomest collection of waist fabrics this store has ever shown. See our special line at..... 69c

Venetian Cloth—in pretty shades of blue, red, brown and gray — strictly all-wool and full 52 in. wide; worth 89c yd., on Friday at..... 59c

furniture

Sample Couches, 30 inches wide, full spring edges, deep tufted, best steel construction, covered in assorted velours, slightly soiled; reduced from $12.50 to..... $6.98

Box Couches, full spring top and edge, deep box, covered with figured denim; reduced from $10.00 to..... $6.75

Refrigerators — ash case, insulated with charcoal sheathing, removable ice chamber; choice of our entire stock at..... One-Third Off

curtains

Lot of $1.50 Ruffled Swiss Curtains on sale Friday at..... 98c

Lot of extra fine 16-point Nottingham Curtains, that always sold for $5.00, on sale Friday at..... $3.50

Lot of 15c Tussor Draperies for brass and iron beds, 36 in. wide, fast colors; reduced to..... 9c

center aisle

Ladies' Wash Belts, of plain white duck, with either brass or nickel buckle; sold everywhere at 15c. Special Friday at..... 10c

Lot of very stylish Leather Belts, in white, black and colors — also Satin Belts; our entire line of 50c Belts on sale Friday at..... 25c

All our Ladies' 50c, 75c and $1.00 Stock Ties, in tan and white figured Oxfords, on sale Friday at..... 25c

Big lot of Novelty Insertings — white and butter—widths from 1½ to 3 in.; reduced from 10c, 12½c and 15c to..... 5c

Lot of English Torchon Laces and Insertions, from 1 to 2½ in. wide; regular 5c kind, on Friday at..... 2c

Black Silk Galloons, also White Cotton Laces, 1½ to 5 in. wide — large assortment of patterns; regular 15c and 19c qualities, for..... 10c

Lot of Ladies' White Oxford 4-in-Hand Wash Ties, with silk embroidered sporting emblems or monograms; regular price 25c. Special Friday at..... 10c

ribbons

Colored Satin and Grosgrain Ribbons, 1 to 2½ in. wide—a full line of the most desirable shades; formerly sold from 15c to 25c yard; will go quick on Friday at..... 6¼c

Liberty Taffeta Ribbons, 5½ in. wide, in a full assortment of the most wanted shades; regular 39c quality, on sale Friday at..... 25c

Lot of odds and ends in Velvet and Satin Ribbons—good colors, on Friday at..... 1c

millinery

Table of Ladies' and Misses' Trimmed Outing Hats — light and dark colors; sold up to 98c; reduced to..... 12½c

2 Tables of Ladies' Trimmed Hats that sold up to $3.50, to be sacrificed at..... 75c

boys' clothing

Boys' Caps that sold up to 50c on sale Friday only at..... 9c

Boys' Wash Suits, 5 to 10 years—that sold up to $1.50, on sale Friday at..... 69c

Boys' Wash Pants—4 to 12 years—well made; sold at 25c, go Friday at..... 10c

carpets

Choice of our entire stock of 90c Brussels Carpets—made, laid and lined free on Friday at..... 68c

Choice of our entire stock of $1.25 Velvet Carpets, noted for their hard-wearing qualities, if bought on Friday, made, laid and lined free at..... 98c

$35.00 Royal Wilton Art Squares, 9x12 ft.; best made in the United States; reduced to..... $25.00

basement bargains

12½c Covert Cloths for street skirts reduced to..... 5c

10c Fancy Flannelettes, in medium and dark colors, reduced to..... 6¼c

Fancy Dress Calicoes at..... 3½c

$4.00 all-wool home-made Country Blankets reduced to..... $2.98

69c full bleached Table Linens—full 2 yds. wide, good patterns, reduced to..... 50c

3 bales of yard wide unbleached Muslin, reduced to..... 4c

500 doz. Barber Towels, hemmed and washed already for use, reduced to, per doz..... 36c

1,000 ready-made Pillow Cases to go at..... 6¼c

ladies' clothing

Lot of Ladies' stylish Eton and Jacket Suits of all-wool Venetians and Cheviots; a good range of desirable shades; sold up to $12.50; will close them out Friday at..... $4.98

Ladies' Silk Eton Jackets, with vest, trimmed with moire and buttons, lined with fine taffeta; regular $10.00 quality. Friday to close at..... $6.

Ladies' Wash Suits in all the most desirable summer cloths; waists trimmed and embroidered, tucked or tucked all over — plain, striped and polka dot effects, large range of colorings—skirts flounced and trimmed with bands; reduced from $5.00 to..... $2.5

Children's Colored Wash Dresses at just half price—
Were 75c to $3.12.
Now 38c to $1.56.

shoes

Lot of Ladies' Oxfords, in patent leather and kid, all the newest styles, light and heavy weights; reduced from $2.50 and $3.00 to..... $1.98

Ladies' Shoes, in patent lace and button — up-to-date styles — comfortable lasts; were $2.50, on Friday at..... $1.79

housefurnishings

Lot of No. 3 Double Oil Stoves, with 4 large burners; also 2-burner Eagle Hot Plates; regular price $1.98. Special Friday at..... $1.25

Lot of Single Oil Stoves, with 2 burners; valued at $1.00, to go at..... 60c

table of odds and ends

Hatchets, Wood Spoons, No. 2 Burners, Slaw Cutters, Nickel Towel Racks, Sink and Scrub Brushes, Meat Pounders, etc; sold up to 25c. Friday to close at..... 3c

Wm. Campbell, 327-333 Fifth Avenue.

RAILROADS.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave Station, Smithfield and Water streets.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.....	* 6:30 am	* 9:15 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.*	6:30 am	† 2:45 pm
Wash., Bal. & New York.*	8:00 am	† 7:50 pm
Con., Un'n., Morgan'n.*	8:00 am	* 7:50 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.†	5:00 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsville Accom.....		† 5:05 pm
Con., Un'n., Morgan'n.*	12:20 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	12:20 pm	† 2:45 pm
Cumb. Wash. & Balt....	1:20 pm	† 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom.....	4:00 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg & Western Express....	† 5:00 pm	†12:30 pm
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Limited)....	6:30 pm	* 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila.....	9:00 pm	* 6:30 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.*	7:05 am	*10:05 am
Con., Cin. and St. L. Ex..*	8:30 am	* 7:45 am
Whg., Zanes. & Col. Ac..*	1:00 pm	* 4:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel....	1:30 pm	* 4:00 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex...*	8:50 pm	* 7:45 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Chicago and Cleveland...*	8:30 pm	*12:55 pm
Chicago Limited.....*	8:00 pm	* 7:40 am

(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)

Butler	† 7:50 am	† 6:30 am
Cleve., Akron & Youngs'n.†	8:00 am	† 6:00 pm
Butler, Greenville & Erie.†	9:30 am	† 4:20 pm
New Castle and Butler..*	8:00 am	† 7:20 pm
Butler	†10:45 am	† 1:50 am
Butler, Greenville & Erie.†	1:15 pm	† 9:20 pm
Butler	† 1:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Clarion, Greanv..†	5:20 pm	†10:40 am
Ellwood, N. C. Butler...†	5:30 pm	† 9:35 am
Ellwood and Butler.....	5:30 pm	† 9:35 am
Butler	† 6:15 pm	† 5:25 pm
Butler and Harmony.....	*10:30 pm	* 7:20 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in Effect June 15, 1902.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 1:00 am	*11:15 am
Youngstown & Cleve. Mail	† 8:25 am	† 9:00 am
Buffalo & Erie Express...	† 8:25 am	† 9:55 pm
L. Chautauqua Fast Line..	*12:50 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo Express.....	† 4:20 pm	† 9:55 am
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2:50 pm	* 1:00 pm
Boston Special	† 4:20 pm	* 6:05 am
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 4:20 pm	*11:15 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex..	*10:50 pm	* 6:05 am
Cleve. & Youngst'n Accom	† 5:25 am	† 5:10 pm
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 6:30 am	† 8:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 9:30 am	† 6:45 am
Beaver Falls Accom'dation	† 12:10 pm	† 9:50 am
Beaver & Pulls Accom'dation	† 5:30 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:20 am
Beaver Valley Express.....	† 5:25 pm	† 4:18 pm
Fayette City Accom'dation	† 8:10 am	† 7:20 am
Fay. City & N. Haven Ex.	† 8:40 am	† 8:00 am
McK'sp't & B'ne'le Express	†11:50 am	†12:46 pm
Fayette City & N. Haven.	† 3:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Fayette City Express.....	† 5:20 pm	† 8:40 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, 6:25 a. m., *10:35 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday.

‡Note—6:00 p. m. train on Sundays to Youngstown only.

Ticket office, 357 Fifth ave., Park bldg. L. A. ROBISON,
Gen. Supt. Gen. Pass. Agent.
Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.
In effect June 27, 1902.
Trains Leave Union Station, Pittsburgh,
as follows (Eastern Standard Time.)

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Atlantic Express, daily.....		3:00 a. m.
Pennsylvania Limited, daily.....		7:18 a. m.
Day Express, daily.....		7:30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily.....		8:00 a. m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily.....		12:40 p. m.
Ebensburg Special, Saturdays only.		2:40 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily.....		4:40 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily.....		4:50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily.....		7:10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily.....		8:00 p. m.
"Pittsburgh Limited," daily for New York, Baltimore and Washington only.....		10:00 p. m.

The Pennsylvania Special, daily, for Philadelphia and New York..... 11:25 p. m.
Philadelphia Mail, Sundays only... 8:40 p. m.
For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m. daily.
For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 10:45 p. m. daily. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 3:05 and 10:45 p. m.
For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 10:45 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m.
For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week days.
For DuBois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.
For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 7:15 a. m. (Pennsylvania Limited) and 9:00 p. m. daily. 9:00 p. m. daily, with through Pullman Sleeping Car.
For Asbury Park, Ocean Grove and Long Branch, 7:15 a. m. (Pennsylvania Limited) week days, 9:00 p. m. daily.
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:10, 8:40 a. m., 12:40 and 4:25 p. m. week days. †
For West Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:25 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. week days. For Belle Vernon and West Brownsville, 6:05, 8:00, 10:25 a. m., 1:05, 4:20 and 6:25 p. m. week days. Sundays, 8:55 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:30 p. m.
For West Elizabeth, Dravosburg and Monongahela City, 6:05, 8:00, 10:25 a. m., 1:05, 4:20, 5:25, 6:25 and 11:35 p. m. week days. Sundays, 8:55 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:30 p. m. West Elizabeth and Dravosburg only, 3:20 p. m. week days.

From FEDERAL STREET STATION, Allegheny City:
For Butler, 6:50, 8:20, 10:30 a. m., 3:00 and 6:10 p. m. week days. Sundays, 7:00 a. m., 3:30 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 360 Fifth Avenue, corner Fourth Avenue and Try Street, and Union Station.

J. B. HUTCHINSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agent.
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BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.
Schedule in effect June 1, 1902. Trains leave P. & W. Depot, Allegheny.
EASTERN STANDARD TIME.
For Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut, O., 8:00 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.; Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keister, 8:00 a. m., 1:15 and 3:20 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday.

G. L. FENN, A. FORD,
General Manager. General Pass'r. Agt.

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.
Pennsylvania Lines
By Central Standard Time.

Trains.	Leave.	Arrive.
Chicago and Cincinnati....	† 1:10 am	† 1:45 pm
Indianapolis and St. Louis.*	† 1:10 am	† 1:45 pm
Ft. Wayne and Chicago....	* 1:15 am	* 1:40 pm
Tiffin and Toledo.....	* 1:15 am	* 1:40 pm
Indianapolis and St.

LOCAL NEWS OF ALL PITTSBURGH

THREE Cities, Forty-Five Boroughs, Twenty-Six Townships.

Population, 726,064.

Area, Square Miles, 316.22.

Fifth in Volume of Bank Clearings.

Fourth in Rank Among Cities.

Yesterday's Health Report—Nine cases of typhoid fever were reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday.

Horse and Wagon Stolen—A horse and wagon belonging to Oliver Cornelius of Reserve township was stolen yesterday in front of a feed store in Sandusky street, Allegheny.

Bad Fall Caused Death—John Terko of No. 3424 Carson street died yesterday at the South Side hospital from injuries received at Jones & Laughlins' mills by falling on a bar of iron, which penetrated his body.

Freight Conductor Killed—John Pesky, a Pennsylvania railroad freight conductor, of Wall station, yesterday morning fell from his train at Manor and was instantly killed. He was 29 years old, single, and lived with his mother at Wall.

Wild Birds for Sale—Edward Goebler and Thomas Bowman of Woods Run gave bail yesterday for a hearing before Alderman C. F. Anderson on a charge of exposing wild birds for sale. The case against the men is fought by T. Smith, a fish and game warden.

McGeary Issues Commitments—Coroner McGeary yesterday lodged commitments against Peter Fantonlorosa and Antonio Riasa, who are in jail charged with the death of Antonio Galleno, who died last week from injuries received in a fight at McKees Rocks.

Old Man Brigham's Case—The hearing of Paul Brigham, the aged man arrested in Boston for alleged swindling operations in this city last December, which was to have been held yesterday before Alderman C. F. Anderson, was postponed till next Wednesday.

Watchman Charged With Theft—Sidney Duncan, a former night watchman at the Hotel Anderson, was committed to jail yesterday by Alderman C. F. Anderson on a charge of larceny. Duncan is prosecuted by A. Shoenfield, who alleges that while stopping at the house he was robbed of $30.

Made Return Visit—For the second time within seven months, an attempt has been made to rob the drug store of H. Frost, Arlington avenue and Ellin street, South Side. The last attempt was made yesterday morning by two men, but they were frightened away by Frost using his revolver at them.

Lewis Fined Anyhow—Joseph Lewis of No. 608 Robinson street, Allegheny, was fined $5 yesterday morning by Magistrate Henry Hunneshagen on a charge of disorderly conduct. It was alleged he beat his aged mother Tuesday night, but none of the members of the family appeared to prosecute him at the hearing.

Deaths Due to Accident—Deputy Coroner L. Huchel held an inquest yesterday into the deaths of Walter and James C. Smeltz, cousins, aged respectively 10 and 11 years old, at Boyds Hill, Patton township, Tuesday. The boys were killed by a runaway coal car at the Springhill mines Tuesday afternoon. The verdict was "accidental death."

Coroner's Inquests—Inquests were held yesterday by the coroner into the deaths of Stephen McDonald, who was killed by a traction car in Neville Island on August 9, and of James M. Mehard of New Castle, Pa., who was killed by a train near Sandy Creek, on the Allegheny Valley railroad, last Sunday. In both cases the jury returned verdicts of accidental death.

Twelve Cars Derailed—At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon 12 cars, hauled by engine No. 1880 of the Pennsylvania railroad, were derailed at South Twenty-first and Carson streets, on the transfer between the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. Traffic was blocked on the Birmingham line for an hour and on the transfer for four hours.

Fell Victim to the Heat—Clarence Lee of 126 Forty-sixth street was picked up at the corner of Penn avenue and Main street yesterday while suffering from heat prostration. He was prostrated while at work in Clark's mills. He was unable to explain how he wandered up to Butler street in his semi-conscious condition. He was sent to St. Francis hospital and is in a serious condition.

Got His Money Back—Hunter Biggerstaff and Walter Kilgore of Oakmont were fined $3 each yesterday by Justice of the Peace William A. Diamond for fighting at Hulton station Tuesday night. The men captured a log in the Allegheny river and sold it to the justice for $1. He then paid them a dollar to take it to his home. With the money the men bought beer and before drinking all of it they had a quarrel.

Mrs. Neal Found Dead—Mrs. Sadie Neal, wife of C. C. Neal, was found dead in bed at the family home in the Herron flats, at Erie and Federal streets, Allegheny, yesterday morning by her husband. Howard Neal, eight years old, slept at his mother's side and did not know she was dead until he was aroused by his father, who had slept in another room. It is thought heart disease caused Mrs. Neal's death.

Nail Saved His Life—James Harlow, a tinner, of No. 14, West street, Allegheny, owes his life to a nail. While working on the roof of a three-story building being erected for C. M. Shinghas in Ben Avon yesterday morning, Harlow fell through an opening in the roof, but his plunge toward the cellar was stopped by his trouser leg catching in a large nail in a joist, which held him suspended until assistance arrived.

Died of Peritonitis—An inquest was held yesterday into the death of James Sheehan, chief lineman of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone Company at Homestead, who died suddenly Tuesday morning. It was thought his death was caused by poisoning, but on the testimony of Drs. Biers and Baldwin of Homestead, who attended Sheehan before his death and held the post mortem examination, the jury returned a verdict of death from peritonitis.

Doubts Burglar Story—Lizzie Latsko, a Slavish girl of Homestead, did not believe in banks as good places to deposit money. She is now mourning the loss of $50, which she claims to have given to Mrs. Annie Myers to keep for her and which Mrs. Myers says was stolen by burglars during a visit to her home three weeks ago. Lizzie doubts the burglar story and has entered suit against Mrs. Myers for larceny by bailee before Justice Giles of Homestead.

Kidnaped His Child—J. H. Pinkerton of Wurtemberg, Lawrence county, who formerly lived at No. 18 Somerset street, Allegheny, is alleged to have kidnaped his 7-year-old daughter from the home of the child's mother, Mrs. J. M. McElwain, No. 18 Somerset street, Tuesday evening. Pinkerton was divorced from his wife about a year ago, and it is said he tried to gain possession of the child once before. Tuesday evening Pinkerton asked the child's grandfather, George McSwigan, to get the child as he wished to see her and also take her to his boarding house. While Mr. McSwigan waited outside the boarding house Pinkerton disappeared with the child.

Sister Banner Strikes Back—The Rev. H. T. Hicks, pastor of the Carnegie African Methodist Episcopal church, was held in $500 bail for a hearing this evening before Justice of the Peace A. W. McMillan of Carnegie, on charges of assault and an attempt to commit a felony. Deacons William Watkins and James Adams of the same church are charged with assault and battery. The charges against the three were made by Miss Annie Banner and are the result of a row Miss Banner raised in the church during services two weeks ago last Sunday for which she was fined. Miss Banner alleges the charges against the Rev. Mr. Hicks grew out of a call he made on her about June 1.

NEXT WEEK'S PLAYS.

Pleasing Attractions Mark the Preliminary Season in Several Local Theaters—The Grand's Plans.

The offering at Duquesne garden by the summer stock opera company next week will be the best work of Gounod, "Faust." This is an opera which is seldom sung outside of grand operatic organizations and will prove a rare treat to the music lovers of Pittsburgh. As a special inducement and in order to give "Faust" a meritorious cast, John Dunsmure, the famous basso, and Winifred Goff, the noted baritone, who have been identified with grand opera and who are under contract with the English grand opera company for next season, have been specially engaged. "Faust" gives ample opportunity for spectacular effects, splendid scenery and intricate electrical displays, all of which will be new and novel to the patrons of the garden.

In the Palm garden the bill will be an unusually strong one, headed by Mamie Remington and her four pickaninnies in up-to-date coon songs and comedy work. Miss Sallie Fisher will also be heard in popular numbers from present musical successes, and will doubtless renew the good impression of last week.

Once more Pittsburghers are to see Blaney's big military comedy drama, "Across the Pacific," which will open a week's engagement at the Bijou theater commencing with a bargain matinee next Monday. Nearly all of the original company have been retained for this season's production and Harry Clay Blaney will again be seen as Willie Live, the war correspondent. "Across the Pacific" is by far the largest popular-priced attraction on the road, 58 people being on the stage at one time. New scenery and effects throughout have been made for the production this season, and the management has spared neither pains nor expense to retain or exceed its former standard, "the best at the price."

Magnificent scenic effects, picturesque costumes and many thrilling situations are said to be among the meritorious features of "Gypsy Jack," the English melodrama which will be seen at the Empire theater next week, and in which the well-known romantic actor, Willis Granger, is playing the leading role. The production is identical with that which has been running in London for the past three years and which promises to have a still longer career.

Fulton's Jolly Grass Widows will be the offering at the Academy for one week, commencing Monday evening, August 25. While the Grass Widows has always been considered the leading burlesque attraction on the road, Manager Fulton has this season outdone all previous efforts and presents a show that will doubtless be the sensation of the burlesque and vaudeville world.

Season Opens at Grand Sept 1.

There is probably not a busier spot in Pittsburgh these days than the vicinity of the Grand opera house where everything is hustle and bustle with a perfect army of workmen in possession of the building. They are working night and day to perfect the extensive improvements Manager Davis is making in the theater, but this is not a marker to the scene of activity back on the stage, where Jack Huffman is directing the scene painters, carpenters, decorators and others employed in building the stage effects for the opening bill, "Her Majesty," which will usher in the new season Monday, September 1. Next Monday the rehearsals will begin.

The subscription sale of seats will open at the Grand box office next Monday, August 25, and will continue for three days. During this time only season seats will be sold to those who engage the same seats for every week during the season. On Thursday, August 28, the single sale of seats will open.

GOOD SHOWING BY U. S. GLASS COMPANY

Reports Made at the Annual Meeting Yesterday Were Very Flattering.

At the annual meeting yesterday of the United States Glass Company at its offices, Ninth and Bingham streets, the report of President Daniel C. Ripley showed a notable progress in the affairs of the company. Net profits from the operation of the glass company were shown to be nearly $100,000. In addition to this it was shown that the Glassport Land Company, an underlying interest, can show a reserve fund of $56,000 in relation to property already disposed of, besides holding town site property valued at over $1,000,000 and 80 acres available for manufacturing sites along the river.

It is the purpose of the United States Glass Company to centralize, some time, its operations at Glassport, but it is said that the meeting yesterday took no definite steps toward this. In the report for the Glassport Land Company the valuation of the town site property still held was furnished by the Real Estate Trust Company. President Ripley in his report spoke of the growing export business of the company. To this purpose offices have been established in several of the European countries.

Most of the stock of the company—which is $3,458,100 common and $690,000 preferred—was voted at the meeting. The following directors were re-elected: Daniel C. Ripley, William C. King, M. C. Bryce, A. L. Brahm, John S. Craig, H. D. W. English, W. J. Crawford, M. M. Anderson and C. H. Schaefer. The directors at their next meeting are expected to re-elect the present officers.

In connection with the annual meeting yesterday the directors declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent on the preferred stock. This is payable September 10. The preferred stock is subject to a cumulative dividend and an aggregate of about 48 per cent was allowed to pass before the regular payments were resumed.

Fatally Wounded Himself.

ERIE, PA., Aug. 20.—As a result of despondencew over a love affair, Henry Hewitt, aged 21, of Waterford, lies at St. Vincent's hospital, this city, fatally injured by a bullet wound, self-inflicted in the left breast. He is a popular young man.

OUT OF PRISON ONLY TWO YEARS, GAINS FORTUNE

Salaried Clerk Sent Up as Embezzler Suddenly Becomes Financier.

RETURNS TO OLD HAUNTS

Sought Oblivion in Golden Wealth and Returns to Scene of Former Life—Romance in History of Samuel Seeley.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Aug. 20.—Out of a prison gate, disgraced and repentant, Samuel Seeley, the bank defaulter, emerged a little more than two years ago and burried west to bury himself in oblivion. Today he is back among his old friends in Brooklyn with a reputed fortune of more than $1,000,000.

Seeley appeared in Brooklyn a few days ago, to the astonishment of those who had known him before he became a defaulter. Their astonishment was greater still when he informed them that he had amassed a fortune since leaving prison.

That truth is stranger than fiction was never more forcibly illustrated than in this remarkable turn of affairs in the fortunes of Samuel Seeley, who, after embezzling $854,000 from the National Shoe and Leather bank, served a sentence of five years in state prison.

Seeley was not alone in the crime which led to one of the greatest bank scandals ever known in this city. He was more or less the tool of Frederick Baker, a supposed millionaire, who was a depositor in the bank, while Seeley was a $35-a-week bookkeeper. When the expose came Baker's body was found floating in the river.

It was back in 1885 that the crime of 10 years' duration was begun. Baker overdrew his account to the extent of $1,100 and Seeley had passed his checks. Fearing to lose his position if his act was detected, Seeley visited Baker to ask him to make good the amount. Baker's oily tongue found an easy victim, and soon Seeley was passing Baker's checks for any amount. Baker continued to make deposits, but he was getting about $55,000 ahead of the bank each year.

Seeley was his slave, and he treated him as such. He only managed to get $1,000 a year for the awful risk he was taking, and the aged Baker only smiled at him when he pleaded with him to stop the game before it was too late.

In 1895 the crash came. Seeley had grown white-haired from the weight of his secret when the discovery was made.

Seeley was tried and sentenced to eight years in prison, with an allowance of two years and eight months for good behavior.

While in prison his wife, who had stood by him through his trouble, learned that she had a rival and secured a divorce. Later she married John W. Fowler, a wealthy manufacturer.

WAS RE-ELECTED HEAD OF PASSIONIST ORDER

Very Rev. Father Stephen Kealy, C. P., Chosen on the First Ballot Yesterday.

The Very Rev. Father Stephen Kealy, C. P., was unanimously re-elected provincial of the Passionist order yesterday morning. Father Kealy was elected on the first ballot, and immediately afterward the entire community repaired to the Monastery church, where a solemn te deum was sung and benediction imparted.

The triennial chapter was formally opened yesterday morning with a solemn high mass, the Very Rev. Father John Baudinelli, consultor general, being the celebrant. At the conclusion of the mass the consultor general, the provincial and rectors of the various houses, who compose the "chapter," marched into the spacious library, where the business of the chapter was begun. The fathers were in session scarcely three-quarters of an hour when the scrutineers announced that Father Stephen Kealy had been chosen again as head of the order in this country.

Father Kealy is just in the prime of life, and his selection a second time to be head of this great missionary body is reputed to be a high tribute to his wisdom. The result of the election of rectors of the various houses throughout the country will be announced today. As stated in The Gazette, all the rectors are eligible to re-election with the exception of Father Albert Phelan of Dunkirk, who has been head of that community for two terms. The Very Rev. Father Dennis Caligee, master of novices, has acquitted himself of his serious work with such excellent judgment that he is to be unanimously elected this morning. The office of master of novices is second only in responsibility to that of provincial, inasmuch as the father master has the training of young men for the arduous life of a Passionist.

TO CHOOSE CHAIRMAN.

Important Place in Pittsburgh Freight Committee Will Soon Be Filled.

Much interest is being taken in the choice of the new chairman of the Pittsburgh freight committee to succeed S. P. Woodside, who recently resigned the general agency of the Erie to become traffic manager of the Pittsburgh Coal Company. On that account he has also resigned his position on the freight committee.

There have been no meetings of the committee recently, the secretary C. E. E. Childers, being abroad. Mr. Childers is now, however, on the ocean and a meeting next week is probable.

Among those who are mentioned for the place are S. L. Seymour, division freight agent of the Pennsylvania railroad, who is now acting chairman; H. M. Mathews, division freight agent of the Baltimore & Ohio, and E. P. Bates, division freight agent of the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania railroad.

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Local Hospitals Prevent Necessity for a Municipal Emergency Hospital.

The city of Pittsburgh is saved the expense of maintaining an emergency hospital by all of the city hospitals receiving and caring for emergency cases. The hospitals do this without any remuneration from the city and now some of the leading physicians connected with hospital boards are advocating appropriations to these institutions from the municipal treasury.

Dr. John B. McClelland, who is much interested in the Homeopathic hospital, and is one of the attending physicians of that institution, yesterday said:

"Some time ago, under the administration of the Hon. A. M. Brown as city recorder, it was suggested that the city should have an emergency hospital for the care of city patients, and when the matter was fully explained to him by myself and several others he promptly decided that he would not support any such measure. There is really no need of an emergency hospital here for the reason that all the emergency cases are promptly received and cared for by the existing hospitals, but I want to call attention to the fact that they are cared for without any financial assistance from the city. To maintain an emergency hospital by the city would cost about $50,000 per annum after the hospital was built, and that might cost about $250,000. This expense is now saved to the city and all the cases are cared for without regard to sex, color, creed or class, without expense to the city, but with considerable expense to the institutions. This is not equitable.

"The South Side hospital cares for the South Side cases; the Homeopathic the downtown, the Mercy and Passavant the hill districts and the West Penn and St. Francis the Lawrenceville district, and yet they receive no financial aid from the city. Some of them receive state aid, but not enough to be substantial. In Allegheny the Allegheny General hospital receives aid from the city and consequently all the emergency cases are sent to that institution.

"City aid should be given and then the city could divide the city into districts and decide where the cases should be sent, thus preventing all trouble, as has frequently occured, when the ambulances of two or more hospitals were called for a patient."

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DEATHS.

BAILEY—On Tuesday, August 19, 1902, at her parents' residence, Fair Oaks, Sacramento county, Cal., PHOEBE, eldest daughter of W. F. and Maud (Foster) Bailey, and granddaughter of Capt. W. F. Bailey of Munhall.

CRAMER—On Tuesday, August 19, 1902, the REV. J. K. CRAMER, in his 78th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Devore, corner of Walnut and Main streets, Washington, Pa., this morning at 7:30 o'clock. Services to be held at Library Baptist church on Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment at Library cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FULTON—On Tuesday, August 19, 1902, at Atlantic City, MRS. AGNES R. FULTON, mother of Andrew Fulton, at 10:30 p. m.

Notice of funeral later.

LYNCH—On Tuesday, August 19, 1902, at 5:10 a. m., at his home, Creighton, Pa., the REV. WILLIAM LYNCH, aged 87 years.

Funeral services at the Jane Methodist Episcopal church, Creighton, Pa., on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private. (Uniontown and Johnstown papers please copy.)

M'GOVERN—Suddenly, on Monday, August 18, 1902, at Lewiston, Pa., JOHN M'GOVERN, brother of the Rev. Father Israel J. McGovern, of St. Mary's church, Forty-sixth street, aged 38 years.

Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. Henney, Ingram, on Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Luke's church, Third street, Carnegie, at 9:30. Interment at St. Luke's cemetery.

(Atlantic City papers please copy.)

M'GUIGEN—Suddenly on Monday morning at Niagara Falls, N. Y., HENRY B. M'GUIGEN, of Atlantic avenue, East End, and connected with the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company of East Pittsburgh, aged 25 years.

Funeral from the home of his parents, Farley, Ia., on Thursday.

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TWELVE PAGES.

Freight Blockade Has Begun.

Freight congestion has again become the uppermost question with Pittsburgh manufacturers. Nine of the Valley furnaces are now banked on account of a shortage in coke supply, and it is feared others may soon have to follow suit. The trouble is wholly on account of inability of the railroads to furnish transportation, as the coke producers could increase their output on short notice.

There are cars enough this year under the operation of the per diem rule. In fact, there are so many cars they occupy yard room that might be put to better use. The shortage is in motive power and trackage. The roads which penetrate the coke fields have not enough tracks, primarily, to handle the business. The new line of the Pennsylvania and Pittsburgh & Lake Erie up the Monongahela river will afford some relief when completed, and some double tracking now being done on the Southwest Pennsylvania will help. The trouble is, these improvements are so lamentably slow.

Last spring the railroads promised to keep up with the traffic this year. They plead special causes for the blockade of last fall and winter. Yet with the beginning of the heavy movement to and from the lakes they are hardly in better condition than last year at the same time. They have increased their facilities somewhat, but have not kept pace with Pittsburgh development.

An Intolerable Situation.

Conditions in the anthracite coal region are steadily growing worse. Riotous demonstrations and murders are frequent. Such a state of affairs is intolerable. While the miners began the strike with public sympathy on their side, sympathy strengthened by the refusal of the operators to submit questions at issue to arbitration, they are forfeiting their claims to friendly sentiment by their violence. To enter upon a test of endurance in the hope of higher wages or better conditions of labor is one thing; to forbid other men to work, to attempt to blow up workmen's homes, to attack families with stones and to try to destroy property are very different things, not to be sanctioned by good citizens anywhere.

Every power of the law must be exerted to prevent these scenes of arson and bloodshed. If the troops already on the ground are not sufficient, more should be called out. No false sentiment or fear of consequences should be permitted to interfere with the maintenance of order. The mob has no place among American institutions and no pains should be spared to impress the fact upon any who do not appreciate it.

On the other hand, it is just as well that the operators should understand they will be held strictly accountable for their share of the public inconvenience. Their arbitrary course has prevented the production of the usual coal supply; their continued obstinacy constitutes a threat of public deprivation. With their private business the state cannot interfere, but in view of their disregard of public interests the time has come to call them to account for alleged infractions of the constitution and the statutes. However skillfully their evasions have been planned, the next legislature may find means to define their offending.

With these things clearly understood by both sides to the controversy, it is just possible Senators Quay and Penrose may have some influence in bringing about a settlement. Unconditional surrender is not necessary on either side, but both need to understand the public has rights that are greater than either. The test of endurance has passed peaceful bounds. It is menacing the common welfare and it is the business of government to sustain that at all hazards.

Evidences of Demoralization.

We are glad to observe that the Dispatch is seconding The Gazette in calling attention to the dangerous condition of the Point bridge. In an article published weeks ago The Gazette made it clear that the structure at the Point was in a menacing condition. It is old, it has not been well cared for and it is now in such a state that it is questionable whether it would not be a waste of money to repair it. A bridge in that locality is a public necessity. The travel is large and constantly growing. The city is responsible for the bridge and its condition, and, as has been said, its condition is very bad. This is not news to the officers of the bureau of bridges and department of public works, for attention has been called to it time and again. In fact, Director McCandless admits that the facts are known to him, but it does not appear that anything has been done about it except to inspect the structure from time to time to see whether it was likely to fall into the river of its own weight.

The condition of the Point bridge is merely a sample of the manner in which the utilities owned by the municipal government have been permitted to deteriorate. The Lincoln avenue bridge was permitted to go to ruin until at last it was closed as dangerous. But now it is disclosed by an offer of the Pennsylvania railroad after an examination by its engineers that it can be made so safe for temporary use that the street cars may run over it again. The Smithfield street bridge was permitted by the department of public safety to continue in a dangerous condition until public attention was called to it by the giving way of the flooring, almost precipitating a heavily loaded street car into the Monongahela river.

The old South Tenth street bridge had to be torn down after its dangerous state had been discovered, and the new bridge to replace it will not be ready for use for months. Of the three remaining bridges to the South Side, but one—the Brady and South Twenty-second street bridge—is not under suspicion, and in view of the ruin that has been wrought on the other city bridges by the process of decay, aided by the wear and tear of constant use, it is not improper to suggest that even that bridge ought to be thoroughly inspected.

With the bridges falling to pieces, the water supply deficient for various well-known reasons, and other city property nothing to brag of, there is no doubt whatever that the organ of the city administration was right when it declared on Saturday last that the public service is demoralized and that the people are not getting their money's worth.

Delaware in Line.

Whatever may be the merits or demerits of the factional fight in the Republican party in the little state of Delaware it is evident that there will be unanimity on at least one point. The so-called regulars or anti-Addicks faction in state convention yesterday heartily endorsed the national administration and pledged the support of the party to President Roosevelt for the nomination in 1904. It has been declared that the Addicks faction is also thoroughly committed to the Roosevelt candidacy and will unite in an effort to send a solid delegation to the national convention in 1904.

The Delaware Republicans should let this unanimity in a good cause be the opening wedge in a reconciliation that will retire forever the bickerings and contentions that have robbed the state of representation in the national senate. With a presidential candidate around whom members of both factions can rally with enthusiasm it should be comparatively easy to settle their family quarrels and get together in behalf of a united national representation.

Mr. Morgan at Home.

It was hardly possible for a man so much in the public eye as J. Pierpont Morgan to return from an interesting and somewhat unique tour of Europe without creating considerable commotion and awakening the liveliest expectations among a large class of Americans. But the great manipulator of millions was distinctly disappointing to those who sought to interview him upon his arrival in New York yesterday. Mr. Morgan, with more than his usual amount of asperity, waved aside all attempts to get him to talk, and whatever information touching the great schemes of finance and industrial combination that are supposed to have occupied much of his time while abroad that the public hopes to get will have to be secured from some other source, unless the influences of a few days' rest should induce the railway and steamship magnate to become more communicative. Mr. Morgan will doubtless find quite enough important business waiting his attention to keep him busy. Being credited, as he is, with having an interest in nearly every important industrial and railway enterprise in America, one can easily imagine how there may be many things to give him anxiety and engage his time, now that he is once more in the thick of the fight.

As for the reported hob-nobbing with royalty, the costly dinners he ate and the big plans he formed for absorbing a big half of the trade and traffic of Europe, the public will have to wait in patience until Mr. Morgan is willing to talk, if he ever does.

Antarctic Exploration.

Not a few people have come to regard the efforts made to discover the North pole as so much wasted time and energy, besides the loss of money and risk to human life. But instead of diminishing, the Arctic and Antarctic exploration fever seems to be on the increase. The Baldwin and Peary explorations in far northern latitudes during the present year have been a subject of much discussion and speculation, while from Norway there have been a number of expeditions of more or less value from a geographical and geological standpoint. In addition to this interest in Arctic researches comes the news that, despite the fact that one expedition in search of the South pole is imprisoned in the ice seas of the Antarctic regions, Professor Borchgrevink, the Norwegian explorer, is busily engaged in forming a party in Buenos Ayres for the purpose of exploring the far Antarctic regions. Where the craze for Arctic and Antarctic discovery will end it is hard to say, in the face of such evident enthusiasm on the subject. In a majority of respects there is even less hope of valuable results in the efforts to find the far limit of the southern ice seas than in the work of discovery that has been directed northward.

Yet these repeated plunges by daring explorers into the ice fields to the north and south of habitable land will not prove entirely useless. The Norwegian expedition now being formed at Buenos Ayres hopes to gain valuable knowledge concerning the volcanoes, some active and others quiescent, that are said to exist in the distant ice fields and mountains that skirt the southern seas. Besides this there are many facts of biology and geology concerning these desert wastes that may be determined by the hardy adventures of the men who venture into them.

Insufficient Funds.

Controller Larkin has submitted to Recorder Brown a statement in detail of revenues, appropriations and expenditures of the various departments up to date. It is shown that at the present rate of income and outgo, all available funds will be exhausted about November 1. The controller gives warning that he will not countersign warrants when there is no cash in the treasury.

When seen last evening Recorder Brown said he had nothing to say until he could get time to consider Mr. Larkin's communication. A cotemporary, however, quoted him yesterday as saying the departments would get all the money they needed and that he had borrowed $150,000 at one time, on his own note, while at the head of the safety department. What has been done in the way of creating deficits is no criterion for the present, as the controller avers he will not sanction any borrowing, and it may be found more than ordinarily difficult to borrow under the circumstances.

In this situation the thought naturally occurs that if the controller's revenue ordinances had been passed promptly they would have helped to some extent in tiding over. But it was a part of the machine policy to hold up those measures, as it was to continue expenditures on an extravagant scale. The result is likely to be some hardship for the whole community.

Aids to Export Trade.

In another column of this paper a correspondent offers some suggestions for the promotion of export trade, especially with South America. One thing proposed is a purely government function, the appointment of consular agents. They should be selected with an eye solely to their fitness. He might have added they ought to be promoted for merit and protected under the civil service laws. As for the other suggestions, they may be left mainly to private enterprise. The government need not establish academies to train commercial agents. Others will attend to that. Of course, the navy should be, and we believe is, first-class in every respect.

Just at this moment the American manufacturer—especially in Pittsburgh—is more concerned about being able to fill orders at home than about any foreign markets. Inadequacy of railroad transportation in the Pittsburgh district is more keenly felt than any lack of steamship lines to South America. It may be necessary to give attention to the foreign markets by and by, when home demand slackens or facilities for production are increased, but the domestic market is paramount now. Certainly it is in order to do something toward the reorganization of the consular service pending the development of new conditions, and it may not be amiss for manufacturers to investigate foreign fields that they may be prepared when it becomes necessary to again solicit foreign trade.

It is to be hoped that the announcement of Gen. Alger's candidacy for the senate from Michigan does not mean the fighting over of the Spanish war in that neck of the woods.

Still, there is no danger that the people of Kentucky will hold Col. Watterson up and force that gubernatorial nomination on him.

The shah of Persia failed to reach London in time for the coronation, but his hosts are trying to make amends by taking him to see all the ballet shows.

Chicago continues to wrestle with that murder mystery in approved New York style.

Those Bridgeville burglars found the nerves of the law officers in a fine state of repair.

Perhaps Congressman Bailey has forgotten that such a man as Solicitor Penfield ever existed.

Mr. Morgan landed in New York without causing any appreciable dip in that side of the continent.

Bishop Potter landed in New York yesterday and immediately the illustrated newspapers got busy.

It will be difficult hereafter for the Paris Matin to syndicate its stories on this side the ocean.

Perhaps Miss Ellen Stone made money enough out of her lecture tour to pay her own ransom next time.

There was naturally considerable kicking among those Chicago stablemen before they decided to strike.

Those Delaware factions might secure the services of a good referee and go off to some quiet place and fight it out.

The amiability of the Fair heirs must be very exasperating to the lawyers.

The weather man didn't keep his foot on the rainstorm pedal quite long enough.

One of the Perquisites.

From the Cleveland Leader.

President Palma is now encountering the opposition of some of the political newspapers in Cuba. That, by the way, is one of the prerogatives of the president of a republic.

BISHOP POTTER BARS ONE SUBJECT

Neatly Turns Interviewer After Question About Coming Marriage.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Aug. 20.

Bishop Potter, besides being a distinguished divine, is a man of the world. He arrived in New York today on the Oceanic, and was willing to talk to interviewers on every subject except one. A brash young man asked him when his marriage to Mrs. Corning Clark would take place. The bishop seemed surprised at the crudeness of the question, which was aimed at him without any apology or polish, but he was equal to the occasion. He was too experienced in the ways of his country to lose his temper. He merely asked the questioner whether he was married and found he was not. Then he said, kindly: "Well, when you come to know about such things you will know that things of that kind are better discussed by the other sex, and not by us." This neat reply ended any attempt to draw the bishop into a discussion of affairs of an intimate nature, and the conversation took another turn. Bishop Potter and Andrew Carnegie are warm friends, as everyone knows. The bishop spent much of his time abroad at Skibo castle, and he said he enjoyed it exceedingly. He and the laird played golf together, and it is said that Mr. Carnegie showed his reverend friend a few tricks on the links that astonished him. It was hoped that some expression on the anthracite strike could be obtained from the bishop, but he was reticent, and beyond saying that he had expected the strike to be settled long ago, would not give any hint of what he might do in connection with the strike, if anything at all. Notwithstanding his refusal to talk about it, there is a strong feeling here that Bishop Potter may use his influence to bring about an adjustment of the trouble. He is always listened to with respect by the persons on either side of the controversy, and if he chooses to interest himself actively it is believed the result would be satisfactory all round. But Bishop Potter is a man of action rather than speech in an issue of this kind, and if he should concern himself in the matter it will not be for a day or two.

Gets $5,000,000 Worth for Nothing.

J. Pierpont Morgan fell a victim to the deadly snapshot today. It was on the Oceanic, and Mr. Morgan had just declared that he would not be photographed for $5,000,000. Snap went a camera, and one of the financier's attendants rushed at the presumptuous boy with the apparatus, to throw him overboard. The youth wriggled away, and this evening New York can gaze its fill upon the counterfeit presentment of Mr. Morgan as he strode across the deck of the big liner. It shows him in the ordinary business coat he most affects, with a yachting cap pulled well down over his eyes, and a big cigar in his mouth. His attitude is that of a man in deep thought.

Even With Bituminous Coal Smoke.

It is pleasant to learn, from the lips of Bishop Potter, that there is no air or sunshine like that of New York in all Europe. Even in Norway, the same authority declares there is nothing like the bracing air and glorious sunshine. Well, it is pleasant in New York just now, but we have had our share of bad weather, too, in the last few months.

Death Causes Quiet Wedding.

There was a swell wedding in St. Patrick's cathedral this afternoon. The bride was Miss Jeanne Clarissa Coudert, daughter of the late Charles Coudert, the banker, and the bridegroom Conde M. Nast. The peculiarity of the wedding was that although the contracting parties belonged to the smart set the ceremony was performed in private. It took place in the Chapel of the Blessed Virgin, and only a few intimate friends witnessed it. But for death in the family it would have been one of the biggest weddings of the season.

Kocian Comes With His Violin.

Rudolph Aronson, who claimed an interest in Kubelik, the violinist, last year, but who seemed to get the worst of the controversy with Daniel Frohman, is in New York again, after a tour of Europe. He has brought with him a violinist whom he believes to be better than Kubelik. He is the handsome young Bohemian, Kocian, who has been engaged by Mr. Aronson to give 80 concerts in the United States and Canada, beginning in New York next November. Kocian was born in Wildenschwert, in Bohemia, on Washington's birthday, February 22, 1884; therefore he is not yet 19. He began to play the violin when only three and a half years of age, a mere baby in fact. His father, a schoolmaster by profession, was his first teacher. At the age of 12 the boy entered the Prague Conservatory of Music and studied the violin in that institution, in the same class with Kubelik, under Prof. Sevcik. He had an equally good master for composition in Antonin Dvorak. He left the conservatory in July, 1901, and since then has been giving concerts in Brunn, Prague, Vienna, London and other European cities with the greatest success. Pittsburgh is one of the cities in which Kocian will play.

Bit of Work for Mrs. Roosevelt.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt will be asked formally to open the Woman's exhibition at Madison Square garden. Should the wife of the president be able to accept the invitation of the Professional Woman's league for the evening of October 6, she will touch a button which will turn on the electric lights in the garden and ring a gong that will set the bands playing and the show in motion.

Duchess to Air Coronation Robes.

It is said that the duchess of Marlborough, who reached New York yesterday, will wear at Mrs. Fish's colonial dance at Newport on Friday the robes which she wore at the coronation of King Edward. While Mrs. Fish has requested that all guests appear in colonial costumes, time will not permit the duchess to comply with the request, and she will probably make use of the gowns she wore when, with the duchesses of Montrose, or Portland and of Sutherland, she held the golden canopy above the queen during the ceremony of annointing. With the gown she will wear the silver medal presented to her by King Edward to commemorate the coronation. Consuelo Vanderbilt always was good-natured, and she seems to have retained her sweet, unaffected disposition, even though she is a duchess.

Hard Blow to Benson.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell, who arrived in New York today on the Oceanic, is quoted as saying that she has a new play by "a man named Benson," son of the archbishop of Canterbury. This is not bad for the adorer of "Pinkey Panky Poo," when it is remembered that E. F. Benson is one of the most brilliant young men in the London literary set. But that probably is Mrs. Pat's estimate of all dramatists, and no doubt she would speak of the author of "Hamlet" as a man named "Shakespeare."

Subway Again in Bad Odor.

The rapid transit subway has much to answer for. Houses and wagons have tumbled into it, workmen have been blown out of it, houses have been wrecked by it, and noxious vapors have arisen from it. Still the work goes on, and most of the contractors take the grumbling of the public with equanimity. Now comes more trouble for the tunnel. Charles F. Roberts, sanitary inspector of the board of health, reported today that the subway is a menace to health. He declared that this menace sprung from the following causes: Disconnection of sewers, stagnant water, escaping sewage, dirty rags, paper and cotton waste and foul odors rising from the excavation and entering windows. All this arraignment of the subway will be considered by the board of health, and the rather indefinite assertion is made that "some action will be taken." What this action can be is not clear. To hastily fill in the subway and stop all work on it looks like the only possible effective method. But New York has stood it for more than two years, and presumably will be willing to bear it another few months.

Wrong Thing Comes Naturally.

Police Commissioner Partridge believes in vigorous action by policemen. In discussing the case of the two policemen charged with the brutal clubbing of a prisoner in a patrol wagon in connection with the Hebrew funeral riot on the East Side two weeks ago, the commissioner is quoted as saying that a policeman is supposed to use a club when necessary. The trouble in New York is that the police seem to lack discretion, and, when at all in doubt, lean to the side of unmitigated brutality.

To Make Something for Nothing.

For the benefit of the "submerged tenth" the Salvation Army here has arranged for the gathering up and turning to use some of the waste material of the city, such as old papers, old bottles, old clothes, old shoes, old furniture and any other old stuff which the householder has further use for, but with which something can be done for the benefit of the destitute poor. For that purpose Commander Booth-Tucker has leased premises on West Thirtieth street, near Tenth avenue, in what is known as the "Hell's Kitchen" district, where employment will be given to homeless persons out of work, in cleaning, sorting and distributing the articles collected. Persons so employed will receive food and shelter until such time as they get remunerative employment elsewhere. Incidentally, they will enjoy the benefit of a good bath. The waste material will be collected in the borough of Brooklyn as well as in Manhattan by men wearing the badge of the army. The next thing will be for the Salvation Army to find destitute persons willing to work.

Boulevard Almost in Sight.

It looks as if the Bronx would soon see the beginning of work on its new boulevard. It will be an asphalt concourse through a large part of the Bronx district lying north of the Harlem river, and President Haffen of the borough of the Bronx estimates the cost at $1,052,000. Bids were opened today, and they ran all the way from a little more than $1,000,000 to nearly $2,000,000.

Song Birds Begin Rehearsals.

Rehearsals are under way at the Metropolitan Opera house for the brief season of Mascagni operas, under the composers direction, which will begin the Italian musicians' first American tour, in October. Antiero Buzzi-Peccia, an Italian teacher and composer, whose songs M. Campanari has tried to make known here, is directing the music.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
R. Proctor.

ROSSMORE.
G. W. Moore. J. Bower.

HERALD SQUARE.
J. H. Graham. Mrs. J. H. Graham.
C. M. Hanscomb.

IMPERIAL.
G. G. Richardson. M. Gallinger.
H. Kaufman. T. C. E. Demmler.
Mrs. T. C. E. Demmler. Maude Demmler.
Marie Demmler. F. Welf.

GRAND.
T. P. Kirk.

HOLLAND.
S. L. Fleishman. W. R. Balsinger.
Mrs. R. W. Athon. R. W. Athon.
Miss F. Athon. Miss M. L. Athon.
J. H. Blackburn. H. T. Hamilton.
G. B. Foster. W. W. Blackburn.
H. P. Bope.

STURTEVANT.
J. P. Dunn. Mrs. J. P. Dunn.
Catherine A. Dunn. W. Smith.

VICTORIA.
C. W. Ruhe.

HOFFMAN.
W. R. Miller.

FIFTH AVENUE.
F. R. Reinhart. Mrs. F. R. Reinhart.
Miss E. K. Rock. S. N. Kreider.

ASTOR.
R. Frew. C. F. Weers.
J. L. Stevens.

BROADWAY CENTRAL.
W. H. Hamilton.

MANHATTAN.
E. E. Keller. H. Moorhead.
S. R. Wilson.

MURRAY HILL.
H. Vanderbeck.

ALBERT.
Samuel F. Luty. Mrs. Samuel F. Luty.

An Unfortunate Quotation.

From the Saturday Evening Post.

The retirement of Justice Gray, of the United States supreme court, has furnished a text for many reminiscences of his earlier days. While he was a member of the supreme court of Massachusetts he had an amusing experience with a certain Boston lawyer, an exceedingly pious man with a taste for evangelization, who had his letter-heads printed with a verse from scripture in large type following the name and address. On one occasion, having to make an ex parte preliminary argument before Judge Gray in chambers, in which it would be necessary to disclose certain parts of his client's case which he desired not to make generally public until the trial, he wrote the judge a note, asking that he be allowed to speak to him in private. He was somewhat chagrined when his note came back to him with a scrawl across the bottom: "Request denied, with a suggestion from the court that counsel base future petitions on a more appropriate citation."

For a moment he could not make out the meaning of this, as he was not aware that he had quoted any law; but glancing up the page he discovered that he had written his note on a letter-head bearing this text:

"Ye are bought with a price."

Time for Meditation.

From the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Andrews, the Detroit Napoleon of finance, who was afraid he would not have time to make a fortune in the regular way, will have plenty of time to think over his mistaks in the next 15 years.

Quarters Are Cramped.

From the Chicago Tribune.

Secretary Moody seems to entertain the ridiculous and old-fashioned idea that a naval officer's proper place is on his ship. The secretary ought to know that golf cannot be played on shipboard.

EYE-OPENERS.

Teacher—Now, then, Tommy, can you tell me the distance between Pittsburgh and Philadelphia?

Tommy—Oh, Pittsburgh's at the top an' de Phillies is near de bottom. Pittsburgh's got de pennant cinched fur sure.—Philadelphia Press.

First Porter—We had two transom guests at ouah hotel last night.

Second Porter—Transom guests? You ought to learn to speak English. Say "transient guests."

First Porter—But dey wasn't. Dey got in ovah de transom and out de same way!—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

"Miss Ann Teek wants some of our exchanges with which to fix her frizzes," said the assistant editor, "and she only wishes Chicago papers."

"Why those?" asked the managing editor.

"Because she says the Chicago papers are full of things that make your hair curl these days."—Philadelphia Record.

"Lay on, Macduff," cried Macbeth.

Macduff was motionless.

"What'll be the matter noo?" said Macbeth. "Dinna ye ken that's the cue?"

"I wa na sure," said Macduff, "whether ye were just recht in your grammar. I thought ye meant 'lie on,' an' that I wadna stand. But it's all recht noo."

And the conflict began.—Toledo Bee.

The future is surcharged with grief,
And hope has nigh forsook it,
For if you pay the price for beef
You can't buy coal to cook it.

—Washington Star.

JILTED PRINCE GRANTED FAVOR

Louis Napoleon Out of the Reckoning for Emperor of France.

By the MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

Prince Louis Napoleon's appointment by the czar to the command of the cavalry division of the army of the Caucasus is connected with the impending marriage of Grand Duchess Helen of Russia and Prince Nicholas of Greece. Prince Louis was devoted to the grand duchess and for a time was given to believe his sentiments were reciprocated. The likelihood of a matrimonial alliance between them became a subject of discussion in every capital in Europe, and there was speculation as to the effect it might have upon the understanding between the czar's government and the French republic. The members of the Bonapartist party went to the length of formulating a program based upon the match taking place, which comprised the abandonment by Prince Victor of his pretensions to the throne in favor of his younger brother and the latter's landing in France with his Russian wife as a Russian general and near relative of the czar in order to proclaim himself emperor of the French.

There is every reason to believe the high-spirited young grand duchess acquired the conviction that she was about to be made the instrument of a political intrigue, and it was political ambition rather than sincere affection that prompted the devotion which the prince accorded her. It is more than probable this impression on her part was fostered by her relatives, who apprehended that any such marriage would result in a rupture of the alliance with the French republic and leave Russia in a position of isolation.

Duchess Turned Cold Shoulder.

The consequence was the grand duchess treated him in such a fashion that he took to gambling heavily, a vice to which he had never until that time been addicted, and became involved in financial difficulties from which he only managed to extricate himself by selling some of the property he inherited from his father.

There is no princess of the blood in Europe that enjoys a greater reputation for coquetry, fickleness and capriciousness than Grand Duchess Helen, and Prince Louis always lived in the hope he might sooner or later recover the position he had occupied in her affections. These expectations have been destroyed by her engagement to Prince Nicholas of Greece, and sooner than remain at St. Petersburg and witness the hapiness of his more fortunate rival—Prince Nicholas is about to enter the Russian service—Prince Louis has asked the czar to assign him to some post which would have the effect of transferring his residence, at any rate for a time, to some place remote from the capital. It is in compliance with this request that Emperor Nicholas has appointed him to the command of the cavalry division of the army of the Caucasus, which will entail his living for some time to come at Tiflis, which is the capital of the Caucasian provinces.

Sultan's Plot Deepens.

The sultan, not content with imprisoning his brother, Prince Reshad, the heir apparent, has likewise caused the arrest and incarceration of another of his brothers, Prince Djemaleddin, who stands next in line to succession to the throne. Both brothers are confined in the Teheragan palace on the Bosporus, which, for more than a quarter of a century, has been the gilded prison of their eldest brother, ex-Sultan Murad, detained under the pretext of insanity.

Murad himself has been removed from Teheragan to the yildiz kiosque, the sultan's residence, and is lodged strictly guarded in a villa with barred and shuttered windows in a remote portion of the park.

It is now known at Constantinople that the conspiracy in which the sultan charges his two younger brothers to have been implicated had for its object among other things the restoration of ex-Sultan Murad to the throne, which can be brought about by a mere declaration on the part of either of the sheik ul Islam or the grand vizier that Murad has recovered his reason. For the present sultan's tenure of the throne, from a legal and ecclesiastical point of view, rests solely and entirely upon the insanity of his elder brother.

The sultan has had Murad brought to the yildiz kiosque in order to have time to put him out of the way in the event of any popular rising or serious conspiracy to restore him to the throne. The palace of Tcheragan is so far distant that the leaders of any pro-Murad plot or rising would have time to secure the person of the imprisoned ex-sultan and to place him in safety before the present sultan could get hold of him.

No one need be astonished to learn at any moment of Murad's death. The sultan likewise insists on having the sheik ul Islam living at the yildiz kiosque, so as to be in a position to check him in time if he shows any disposition to issue the dreaded fetvah, declaring ex cathedra that Murad has recovered his reason and The new salname, or official almanac of sovereign and caliph.

American Dollars in Palace.

A palace built with American dollars at Constantinople has just been presented by the sultan to Tewfik Pasha, formerly ambassador at Berlin and now minister of foreign affairs. The palace was constructed at an expense of $200,000 by Baron Blanc when Italian ambassador to the Sublime Porte. Baron Blanc owes his wealth entirely to his American wife, Miss Terry, whom he married in New York while Italian envoy to the United States. On leaving Constantinople Baron Blanc succeeded in inducing the sultan to take over the mansion at the price it had cost, and Abdul Hamid has now made a present of it to his minister of foreign affairs as a token of imperial favor.

It is a pity that the United States government did not purchase it for the use of its envoy at Constantinople. This country is the only one of the great powers of the world which provides no fitting residence or surroundings for its representatives in the Turkish capital. Orientals, especially the subjects of the sultan, are chiefly impressed by pomp and show, and it becomes difficult to convince them that a power which permits its representatives to live in a hotel or in furnished apartments is as great or as important as Russia, France, Germany, Austria, etc., who each house their own envoys at Stamboul in magnificent palaces, surrounded by extensive grounds.

Chappies Were Truimpliant.

The earl of Arran, who is about to marry a Dutch heiress with an extraordinary family name, her parents, of whom she is the only child, being the baron and baroness Haypen Van Kattondyke of the Hague, only succeeded to his father's earldom 18 months ago while serving in South Africa, and while still Viscount Sudley was the defendant in a breach of promise suit brought against him by one of the "Gaiety" girls. It was quite a "cause celebre," and so ably was the young lordling defended by Sir George Louis that he won his case, much to the gratification of the gilded youth of London who had been seriously alarmed at the practice made by the "Gaiety" girls of construing all their attentions to mean matrimony, and to thus constitute a pretext for suits for breach of promise entailing large expenditures.

Lord Arran's sister is married to Lord Cranborne, eldest son and heir of Lord Salisbury. The earldom of Arran is not a Scotch but an Irish one, the title being taken from the Arran islands off the coast of Ireland, and the earl is the chief of the Gore family, which has been settled for six centuries at Castle Gore, near Ballina, in county Mayo, Ireland, the estates extending over 50,000 acres.

"Horse and Horse."

From the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Government in Colombia and Venezuela by consent is not doing very much better at present than government without it in some parts of Haiti.

PERSONALS.

C. O. Smith of Louisville, Ky., a guest at the Hotel Griswold, who has been connected with the Lithgow Stove Manufacturing company for over 40 years, has been in the city for several days settling up the business of the firm made necessary by the death of the Hon. J. S. Lithgow, which occurred last February. "Mr. Lithgow," said Mr. Smith last evening, "was born and raised in Pittsburgh and after his removal to Louisville many years ago he always had the most kindly interest for people from his native city, which I can readily appreciate now that I have been here for a few days. I never met a more hospitable reception than I have experienced here. Mr. Lithgow died at the age of 90 and up to the time of his death he never tired of sounding the praises of the Iron City. I am surprised at the wonderful manufacturing plants, the business activity and the great prosperity of the city, and I can now understand why Mr. Lithgow always entertained such a high regard for Pittsburgh and Pittsburghers."

J. H. Herlan, an Eastern Ohio tobacco dealer, was in Homestead yesterday en route to Baltimore to dispose of a large crop of tobacco. He was accompanied by his wife and son, who will remain in Homestead while Mr. Herlan is in the east as the guests of Mrs. Emory W. Garrett, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herlan. Mr. Herlan will stop on his way home and take his family back with him, including his daughter, Miss Blanche, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Garrett.

J. B. Hutchinson, general manager, and Michael Trump, superintendent of transportation of the Pennsylvania railroad, arrived in the city yesterday morning from Philadelphia in a private car on official business. They expect to leave for Philadelphia this morning.

George Miller, clerk of the county court, left last evening on a business trip to Philadelphia and New York. He expects to return on Saturday.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The following persons from nearby towns were registered yesterday at the leading downtown hotels:

Henry—J. A. M'Cleary, A. P. M'Leod, C. F. Anderson, Altoona; George S. Parshall, Sistersville, W. Va.

Duquesne—Warren M'Crary, Butler; A. Granville, Wheeling, W. Va.; W. A. Anderson, Maplewood, W. Va.; B. E. Baer, Sewell, W. Va.; C. H. Snyder, Sharon.

Seventh Avenue—George B. Campbell, Jr., O. G. Aubrey, Brownsville; Charles S. Carter, John F. Pauley, Waynesburg; J. O. Cunningham, Bellevernon; Park Snodgrass, Canonsburg; R. Kiernan, Cresson.

Newells—R. F. Stepvenson, Florence; W. C. Kelly, G. D. Sutton, Bolivar; G. V. Hamory, Youngstown, O.

Monongahela—E. T. Grant, W. M. Gardner, Ridgway; Col. W. J. Hulings, Oil City; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hess, Uniontown; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jacobs, Waynesburg.

Victoria—J. O. McSune, A. F. Rowland, Altoona.

Griswold—Mr. and Mrs. George L. Johnson, Greensburg; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clifton, Johnstown.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Mrs. Mary Ann Speidel.

Mrs. Mary Anna Speidel, 69 years old, widow of Erhardt Speidel and mother of Common Councilman Harry E. Speidel, of the Fourth ward, Allegheny, is dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anna Thompson, No. 714 Liberty street, Allegheny. Mrs. Speidel's death occurred Tuesday night at her home, No. 1007 East Ohio street. Mrs. Speidel contracted typhoid pneumonia while helping to nurse her son. She was a native of Switzerland and when a girl came to Pittsburgh with her parents. Besides Councilman Speidel and Mrs. Thompson, she is survived by two children, Mrs. Mary Clark of Springdale and William Speidel of Allegheny. She was a member of the First Evangelical Protestant German church, Allegheny.

Mrs. Henry Mikus.

Mrs. Dora Mikus, 58 years old, wife of Henry Mikus, a well-known resident of Federal, near Carnegie, died yesterday afternoon. She was born in Germany and came to Federal 17 years ago. Mrs. Mikus was a member of the German Lutheran church of Carnegie, and is survived by her husband and nine children.

Obituary Notes.

Oliver Price, 54 years old, for a number of years yardmaster of the Allegheny Valley railroad at Twentieth street, is dead at his late home, No. 209 Taylor street of paralysis. His widow, one son and a daughter survive.

Word has been received here of the death on Monday at Lewistown, Pa., of John McGovern of Ingram. He was 38 years old and a brother of the Rev. Israel J. McGovern of St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, Forty-sixth street.

"Mark Twain" Made Amends.

From the New York Times.

The following is one of the many Mark Twain stories:

Mr. Clemens' place in Hartford was situated close to that of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe. Mr. Clemens would often make a morning call by "shinning" over the back fence, his corncob pipe in his mouth, his collar and cravat most conspicuous by their absence. These informal calls were a source of much annoyance to Mrs. Clemens, who frequently remonstrated with him on the subject.

On the occasion of one particularly long call of this sort, the indignant wife read her spouse a severe curtain lecture. Returning from this chastened and repentant, the mournful humorist carefully wrapped up a collar and cravat in a sheet of old newspaper and dispatched them to Mrs. Stowe, with the following explanatory note:

"Mrs. Clemens tells me that I spent half an hour this morning at your house without the inclosed articles. Therefore I must ask you to look at them for that length of time.

"P. S.—Please return them; they are all I have."

Deals in One Line.

From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

George W. Guthrie, the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, was asked the other day if he could suggest a single logical issue upon which William Jennings Bryan might again come before the people as a candidate for president. He replied that Bryan never had but one issue, and that his position was exactly that of a negro fish-peddler Mr. Guthrie once encountered in Pittsburgh. The peddler was urging his horse along with cruel blows from a heavy stick and all the time crying at the top of his voice:

"Herrin'! Her-rin'! Get yo' fresh herrin'!"

Mr. Guthrie, wishing to save the horse stopped the peddler and asked:

"Have you no mercy, fellow?"

"Nope!" was the reply, "nothin' 'cept herrin'!"

Not Worthy.

From the Punxsutawney Spirit.

A sober and frugal man, through mistaken ideas of charity, should not permit the vicious habits of others to

RAIL CONTRACT FOR 25,000 TONS LET BY WABASH

President Ramsey Tells What Is Doing for New Ohio Line.

WABASH ON SOUTH SIDE

Executive of Company Says It Has Indisputable Rights There—Greatly Pleased Over Phenomenal Earning Power of Wabash.

Contracts for 25,000 tons of heavy steel rails, calling for an expenditure of about $700,000 have been placed with the Carnegie Steel Company by the Wabash interests. These rails are to be used in the track laying of the 200 miles between Zanesville, O., and that point on the West Virginia Central at which the Wabash line through West Virginia connects.

The announcement of the placing of these contracts was made yesterday by President Joseph Ramsey, Jr., of the Wabash. Mr. Ramsey is in Pittsburgh on one of the regular trips he makes to this city to keep in touch with the developments in the plans of the Wabash for reaching Pittsburgh.

The new rails are to be of the standard size, 80 pounds to the yard, and are for delivery early next year. They will be laid on the new line about to be started between Zanesville, the terminus of the Wheeling & Lake Erie, and Parkersburg, the western terminus of the Little Kanawha, which the Wabash also owns; from Parkersburg 30 miles east to the terminus of the Little Kanawha in relaying that road with the heavier rail, and then from Palestine, the Little Kanawha's eastern terminus, to a point near Parsons, W. Va., where the line of the West Virginia Central is joined.

Have Rights on the South Side.

In regard to the Wabash-Pittsburgh & Lake Erie fight for rights of way on the South Side Mr. Ramsey said: "The whole matter is now in the courts, and no effort has been made so far to settle it outside. The whole plan of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie was useless. Laying tracks that begin nowhere and end nowhere cannot affect the legal status of such a question. We are surely going to build that line. It is our right and 'right is might and will prevail'. My trip here at this time has no special bearing upon that question. I have come, as usual, to keep in touch with the various developments.

There are a number of matters which will come before Mr. Ramsey on this trip. Chief among them perhaps is the reintroduction of the ordinances of the Wabash for its rights of way through Pittsburgh, and the introduction also of the needful ordinances for crossing the South Side streets for the line up the river to the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company's plant.

Mr. Ramsey would not speak definitely as to the plans for reaching that line to show the way the route will lie. "We have several plans," he said. "In due time these will be made public, but it would not be best to make them public property at this time. We might even have a river route," he added.

Wabash's Great Earning Record.

In regard to developments in the Western Maryland he would not talk, saying that he is not an officer of that road, except as a syndicate manager.

"The Wheeling & Lake Erie will be in good shape for use as a through trunk line," he said. "The ruling grade on the road is 21 feet to the mile. There is one grade at Massillon on which helping engines are used as the trains leave the yards. Surveys have been made for reducing this grade to the same level as the others. There is no great hurry for this reduction, however, for plenty of engines can be found in the yards there to use as helpers up the grade at any time.

"The line from Pittsburgh east is not receiving attention," he said in answer to a question. "We are concentrating our energies upon getting into Pittsburgh itself. That is our present mecca."

Mr. Ramsey is greatly pleased with the earning record the Wabash is making. "This is the 63d successive month in which the earnings of each month have passed those of the same month of the previous year," he said.

Continuing he said: "The earnings in the year ended June 30 amounted to more than $19,000,000. Already August shows $300,000 increase over the record of August of last year, and it seems practically certain that the earnings of the Wabash for the present year will amount to more than $20,000,000."

Rumored That a Conference Was Held.

This record has few parallels among American railroads. It is over five years since the increase started, and there is no end in sight as yet for it, but instead, a still greater increase when the various eastern plans of the Wabash start to give it the freight tonnage expected.

It is said that a conference was held between representatives of the Panhandle and the Wabash on Tuesday afternoon, in which the case of the Pennsylvania allowing the Lake Erie to use Pennsylvania land for laying tracks to keep the Wabash back was taken up. Just what the outcome of this meeting was is not known, for all of those participating say, of course, absolutely nothing about it. It is known, however, that there is considerable feeling over the matter.

GRAND ARMY ASKS FAVOR FROM THE PRESIDENT

Would Like All Veterans in Government Employ to Attend Last Washington Encampment.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 20.—The following communication today was addressed to the president at Oyster Bay by the citizens committee of the G. A. R.:

The citizens executive committee on the thirty-sixth National encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, passed a resolution at its last meeting directing me to request that you issue an executive order permitting members of the Grand Army of the Republic employed in the service of the United States in Washington and throughout the country to attend this encampment, which will be held in this city during the week commencing October 6 next, whenever the interests of the public service will so permit without loss of pay or without having the time so occupied deducted from their annual leave.

This will, in all probability, be the last great gathering of the veterans of the civil war at the national capital, and a large number are coming here for the purpose of meeting their comrades in reunion at camp fires in a social way. In fact many of them will make sacrifices to be present.

We sincerely trust you may see your way clear to comply with this request, which will be in the line of encouraging patriotism and devotion to the flag of our country.

You will be gratified to know that on this occasion a large number will also assemble here who were soldiers in the confederate army, as well as several thousand of your comrades in the war with Spain.

Plague Greatly Increases.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—The Exchange Telegraph Company today publishes a dispatch from Simla, saying that the plague mortality is increasing at the rate of 7,000 weekly.

LITTLE ARCHIE FOUND HIS PAPA

TWO TROOPERS THEREBY WIN PRESIDENTIAL COMPLIMENTS.

They Courteously Saw That Young America on His Pony Got Through Gate at Arlington Cemetery—Decoration Day Incident.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 20.—Corp. Daniel L. Webster and Private George Sagendorf, Troop E, Second cavalry, are the proud possessors of a letter from the president of the United States.

On May 30 last memorial services were conducted at Arlington national cemetery. President Roosevelt was the orator of the day and thousands were in the amphitheater where the services were held. Little Archie Roosevelt rode over to the cemetery on his pony. He was accompanied by one of the messengers from the executive mansion, mounted on a bicycle, but the little fellow set such a hot pace that his companion was left behind.

Young Roosevelt started through the gate of the cemetery at a fast clip, but the rein of his steed was grappled by a colored guard, who demanded to know by what authority he dared enter the cemetery.

"I want to see my papa," the little fellow declared, but this reply simply met with a rebuff.

At this point Corp. Webster and Private Sagendorf interrupted and relieved the negro.

"Who is your father?" asked the corporal.

"My father is the president," was the quick response, "and he is speaking, and I want to hear him."

Webster immediately recognized the boy as one of the presidential family and communicated with Lieut. Lynch, officer of the guard. Lieut. Lynch directed that the little fellow be put through the lines, which was done. The bicycle messenger soon arrived and asked the names of the soldiers, and the communication from the president was the result.

Corp. Webster's letter is as follows:

"My Dear Sir:

"I am informed that it was you, together with Private George Sagendorf, who yesterday at Arlington met my little son, who had ridden out on his pony and was trying to get in the gate, but was prevented by the guards (doubtless in accordance with their instructions), and that it was through your courtesy that word was brought which resulted in his being allowed to come in.

"If you were the two troopers who showed this consideration and courtesy to the little fellow, I thank you both for it. Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

QUESTION OF AGE.

Boys Must Be 15 Years Old Before They Can Satisfy an Ambition to Stay at Huntingdon.

HARRISBURG, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Children under 15 years old cannot be sentenced to the Huntingdon reformatory, if an opinion rendered by Attorney General Elkin today is sustained by the courts. Elkin's opinion directly affects the juvenile law enacted by the last legislature, and will necessitate the enactment of additional legislation to enable the state reformatories to receive juvenile offenders.

The opinion was given in response to an inquiry from T. B. Patton, general superintendent of the Huntingdon reformatory, who wanted to know what should be done in regard to admitting Felix Zurus, aged 12, who was recently sentenced to that institution from Scranton on a charge of larceny.

The attorney general says that there seems to be some conflict in the several acts of assembly relating to the government and regulation of the Huntingdon reformatory, and that it is his duty to reconcile them, so far as possible, and when this cannot be done the legislature must be appealed to.

"I am of the opinion," he adds, "that only male persons between the ages of 15 and 25 years can be committed by the courts to the industrial reformatory, but inasmuch as the juvenile courts have jurisdiction over children under the age of 16 years, it follows that such courts may sentence male children over the age of 15 years and under 16 years to custody therein."

Salute Proves Fatal.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—There was a gun accident today on the old wooden battleship Victory, the flagship of Lord Nelson at the battle of Trafalgar. While firing a royal salute on the king's arrival at Portsmouth a charge exploded prematurely and one of the ancient muzzle-loaders and a seaman were blown clean through a port hole. The body of the sailor was not recovered.

Robinson Case Postponed.

HARRISBURG, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Hearing of testimony in the slander suit instituted at Beaver during the last gubernatorial campaign by ex-Superintendent of Public Printing Thomas Robinson of Butler against Postmaster General John Wanamaker has been postponed by Commissioner Frank J. Roth of this city by agreement of counsel on both sides until November 10.

CASTRO IS TOLD THAT BLOCKADE IS ONLY BLUFF

Four Governments Declare It Will Not Be Recognized Because Ineffective.

TROUBLES OF COLOMBIA

Officially Declared That Agua Dulce Has Not Fallen—Steamer Boyaca is Captured by Rebels—News from Bantam Wars.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Aug. 20.—A telegram was received last night at the department of state from Minister Bowen at Caracas in which he reported that the government forces had evacuated Cumana the previous night. He further stated that he had been informed that Germany, France and Great Britain, through their representatives at Caracas, jointly characterized the Venezuela declaration of blockade as inefficient, whereupon the the government asked for proof and suggested that merchant vessels be sent to test the efficiency of the blockade.

Minister Bowen has informed the Venezuelan foreign office that the policy of the United States is not to recognize a blockade found inefficient, and to this announcement no objection was made, the Venezuelan minister acknowledging it to be sound.

The Colombian legation tonight received a cablegram from Gov. Salazar at Panama saying the report that the government troops at Agua Dulce had surrendered was entirely without foundation.

PANAMA, COLOMBIA, Aug. 20.—The former government gunboat, Boyaca, which left here July 28 to carry 300 soldiers to Agua Dulce and which was captured by the Colombian revolutionists, is now at sea flying the rebel flag. The rumors that the Boyaca had been sunk are, therefore, refuted.

Before she left here Gen. Salazar, governor of Panama, ordered the commander of the Boyaca not to fire the guns on that vessel because he feared the bad condition of the Boyaca would endanger those on board if her guns were discharged. Revolutionary reports of the capture of the gunboat are that she fought two battles before being captured, and it is believed in government circles that some accident to her machinery or rudder forced the commander of the Boyaca to accept unequal battle until further resistance was impossible.

COLON, COLOMBIA, Aug. 20.—Persons who have arrived here from Cartagena say that, according to Gen. Velez, the government cruiser Cartagena will shortly leave that port for the isthmus bringing 800 soldiers and $80,000 in gold.

With the exception of the revolutionary army under Gen. Herrera at Agua Dulce, there is at present no organized Liberal army in any part of the republic. A few guerrilla bands still continue to exist here and there in the interior. All trade at Cartagena and Savanilla and other points is at a standstill. Imports and exports continue to decrease at an alarming rate and all commerce is suffering from the continuance of the revolution.

DENIES REPORT OF SALE.

George A. Chalfant Says Steel Corporation Has Not Acquired Etna Plant.

The report has gained circulation in Etna that the large plant of Spang, Chalfant & Co. (Inc.), manufacturers, has been sold to the United States Steel Corporation. The whole story was denied in positive terms last evening by George A. Chalfant, one of the principal members of the firm. "There have been no changes of ownership, nor are any intended," Mr. Chalfant said last evening. "The whole report is absolutely baseless."

Mr. Chalfant denied, also, the report that Charles Chalfant, who resigned about two weeks ago as assistant superintendent, had at the same time sold his stock in the concern. It was upon this basis, combined with a reported visit of officials of the steel corporation to the plant on Monday evening with Supt. Charles Henderson, that the rumors of a sale were based. The report has caused much uneasiness in the borough, inasmuch as the prospect of closing down in case of control passing to the corporation would mean wholesale depreciation of property values as well as of population. The mill is the principal industry of the borough.

Strong and Yohe Go to Argentina.

LISBON, Aug. 20.—Putnam Bradlee Strong and May Yohe sailed for Argentina today under the names of Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson.

ATLANTIC CITY.

Actor Disappears After Being Seen Coming Out of Surf With All His Clothes On.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Frank Simon, who has been playing the role of a brigand in "A Runaway Girl" at Young's pier, is mysteriously missing. On Monday he was seen coming out of the surf dressed in his ordinary clothing and since then he has not been heard from. He had about $300 in cash shortly before his disappearance. Simon is 32 years of age and his home is in St. Paul, Minn. He is said to be steady in his habits and there is much uneasiness over his long absence.

The poultry, pigeon and pet stock show to be held on Young's pier from September 2 to 6 inclusive, is attracting wide attention, the competition being open to the entire world. Already entries have been received from all parts of the United States and Canada. Not only have professional breeders been drawn upon to furnish their choice specimens, but many private raisers have entered rare and valuable fowls. Following is the list of the special gold prizes: For the best display of Americans, $25; any other varieties, $25; Brahmas or Cochins, $10; Plymouth Rocks, $10; Wyandottes, $10; Leghorns, $10; Minorcas, $10; Langshans, $10; Hamburgs, $10; Polish, $10; Indian games, $10; pit games, $10; ducks, $10; bantams, $10; any variety of poultry not mentioned, $10.

Hot Game of Golf.

There was an interesting game of golf this afternoon between four officials of the National Tube Company on the links at Northfield, in which the prize was a cup which the four players had jointly bought to go to the winner of the match. The players were F. C. Smink of Reading, W. P. Tyler of New York, E. J. Converse of Chicago and H. Van Sant of Pittsburgh. A large party of friends followed them over the course. The cards turned in showed that Mr. Converse, with a score of 185, was entitled to the trophy, which was presented to him this evening. It is a handsome silver cup showing a golfer with a driver in the air, ready to strike the ball. The second place was won by Mr. Smink, with a score of 191; third by H. Van Sant, 195, and the fourth by Mr. Tyler, 203.

The sloop yacht Barbara, belonging to Anglesea, grounded today with a party of five Philadelphians on board, while trying to cross the Hereford inlet. She struck on the bar and the sea threatened to make a complete wreck of the yacht, which was under the command of Capt. Charles Wilson, who had as an assistant William H. Wilson. A life-saving crew from the Hereford station went to the rescue and all were taken off. The sloop was eventually floated.

Colored Educators Meet.

A preliminary session of the sixteenth annual convention of the National Association for the Education of the Colored Youth was held this morning in St. James A. M. E. church. Prof. H. S. Kealing, editor of the A. M. E. Quarterly Review of Philadelphia, read a paper on "Unclassified Educational Forces." The convention was formally opened this evening when Mayor Franklin P. Stoy made an address of welcome, to which a fitting response was made by Prof. J. M. Gregory of the Ironsides Industrial school, Bordentown, N. J. This was followed by a paper on "The Ideal Scholar," read by W. J. Parsons. The evening session closed with an address by Bishop L. J. Coppin on "Educational Work in South Africa." A number of the foremost educators of the colored race are in attendance at the convention, which will close on Friday evening with a reception and entertainment.

At the Seaside Hotels.

The late arrivals at the hotels include the following from Pittsburgh and vicinity:

Carlsbad—H. Salter, Pittsburgh.

Chalfant—Mr. and Mrs. A. Richmond, Pittsburgh.

Bleak House—T. R. Van Kirk, McKeesport.

Gilberta—A. F. Aland, William Ahern, Mrs. Sarah Ahern, John Ahern, Mary Ahern, Margaret Ahern, Pittsburgh.

Allegheny—W. F. Spargrove, Pittsburgh.

Belmont—Charles A. Hector and wife, Charles Hector, Pittsburgh.

St. Charles—J. M. Beasley, J. P. Andrews, Mrs. R. M. Andrews, Pittsburgh.

New Gambolos—J. Fisher, Miss Hakeny, Pittsburgh.

Dunlop—Mr. and Mrs. John M. Greek, Mrs. M. E. Duncan, Miss Kathleen Duncan, J. S. Crawford, Allie M. Black, Georgie Rush, Pittsburgh.

Normandie—R. J. Armstrong, J. Jones, G. Moyne and wife, Pittsburgh.

Holmhurst—Ada Blase, M. Jones, Pittsburgh.

Kenderton—Mrs. C. Feitz, Mrs. M. Suter, Mrs. Ramsey, Mrs. J. Harris, J. A. Martin, Pittsburgh.

New Brunswick—H. Miller, Conemaugh.

Roberts—C. Johnson, J. Morgan, Pittsburgh.

Raleigh—Miss M. Utes, G. Watkins, E. Potets, F. Reed, Mrs. C. T. Reed, Mrs. S. C. Reed, Mrs. O. M. Reed, Miss F. Gourley, Pittsburgh.

Garden—G. W. Moore, Pittsburgh.

Dennis—Dr. G. Magee and wife, Oil City.

Coleman—Mrs. E. Reyl, Miss J. Keyl, Pittsburgh.

Agnew—Mrs. L. Robinson, Miss Robinson, Pittsburgh.

Adolphus—R. J. Buck, McKeesport.

Albany—N. Dreiscell, J. Walter, M. E. Walter, M. Walter, Pittsburgh.

Seaside—J. Fisher, Pittsburgh; J. H. Lewis and wife, New Castle.

Windsor—Mrs. R. D. Lyon, Miss K. Harding, P. G. Williams, William H. McCarthy and family, Pittsburgh.

Vendome—W. Bigger and wife, Pittsburgh.

Brixton—R. B. Sterrett and wife, Pittsburgh.

Iroquois—Charles Eagan, T. C. Murdock, Dr. W. R. Waters, John R. Fox and family, W. R. Campbell, G. L. Kendall and wife, J. G. McFadyean, Pittsburgh; L. F. Newlin, Harriet M. Newlin, McKeesport; Charles W. Brasnell and family, J. M. Clifford and family, Braddock.

Hobart—Miss Ada McFarland, Mrs. K. Hammer, Mrs. R. W. Wieder and son, Miss Edna Jones, Pittsburgh; Miss Martha G. Davis, Miss M. C. Davis, Sewickley.

Stickney—John F. Hunter, Meta B. Hunter, A. N. Jones, C. C. Culbertson, Pittsburgh.

Society

THE wedding of Miss Janey Mulhern Coard and Anthony W. Smith, Jr., takes places this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Coard, in Howe street, East End. It was hoped that the wedding would be held at the home of Miss Coard and her mother, Mrs. Jane A. Hall, in Maple lane, Sewickley, but Mrs. Hall's recent purchase of a new house in the East End and the consequent moving to the city, made more convenient the holding of the wedding at Mr. and Mrs. Coard's home.

It will be a pretty wedding though the guests will be confined to the immediate family of both bride and bridegroom, the wedding company numbering not more than 12. The ceremony will be performed in the drawing room by the Rev. Howard Boyd of Mt. Lebanon, an intimate friend and former schoolmate of Mr. Smith, assisted by the Rev. Mr. McFall, the new pastor of the Sewickley Baptist church. Mr. Boyd was graduated last spring from the United Presbyterian Theological seminary in Allegheny and was recently appointed by his denomination as an instructor in the United Presbyterian college in Egypt. He will leave for Egypt in October to be absent seven years.

The wedding decorations will be green and white. Roses will be the only flowers and will be combined with a wealth of green. After the ceremony a luncheon will be served. Mr. Smith and his bride will spend a month or two in the north, a portion of the time in Canada. They will be at home after November 1 at their new home in No. 5018 Ellwood street, East End. Miss Coard is the only daughter of Mrs. Jane A. Hall, well-known in club circles in Pittsburgh, and on her mother's side is the granddaughter of the late Rev. D. Mulhern, D. D., a prominent Baptist clergyman, well-known both in England and in America. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith of Rose Ridge, Mt. Washington.

Brobeck-Layton.

Miss Montana Brobeck and George W. Layton were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's father in Fremont street, Allegheny. The ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock by the Rev. John A. Jayne, pastor of the Observatory Hill Christian church. It was a pretty and quiet home wedding, less than 20 relatives and intimate friends witnessing the ceremony, which was followed by a wedding luncheon. The bride wore a gown of white silk and carried flowers. Later in the day Mr. and Mrs. Clayton left for Atlantic City and New York, where they will spend a couple of weeks. Mr. Layton is assistant superintendent at the Fort Wayne car shops.

O'Mara-Bast.

In the Church of the Sacred Heart yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock the marriage of Miss Alice Carroll O'Mara and Ralph Merton Bast was solemnized. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. Keane. After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's father, Roger O'Mara, at Shady and Homewood avenues, where the wedding luncheon was served. During the evening the bride and bridegroom left for Detroit. They will make their future home in Lincoln avenue in a pretty new house prepared for them by Mr. O'Mara.

Garden Party at Brighton Club.

The second of the series of garden parties this season at the Brighton Country club will be held tomorrow evening, August 22. These garden parties are subscription affairs and are being held monthly during the summer and autumn. The first was given in July and was very successful. Accompanying the invitations was the announcement that in case of rain the garden party will be held on the next Saturday evening. Two more will be held this year.

Wedding Day Announced.

The wedding of Miss Matilda Ludwig, daughter of S. W. Ludwig of Susquehanna street, Homewood, and Joseph Evan Steenrod of Clarington, O., will take place in the Homewood Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening, September 17, and the ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Joseph P. Calhoun. After the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig in Susquehanna street. Mr. Ludwig is a well-known conductor on the Pennsylvania railroad.

Band Concert at the Country Club.

The board of governors of the Country club announces the fourth in its series of out-door concerts, which will take place this evening between 7 and 11 o'clock. The concert will be given by the American Military band and unless it rains or proves to be too damp dinner will be served on the grounds. If it rains tonight the concert will be postponed until Thursday evening of next week.

Notes of Society.

Miss Suzanne Anderson, daughter of C. F. Anderson, has returned from a visit to Detroit and Mt. Clemens.

One hundred invitations have been sent out for the marriage of Miss Helen Campney, daughter of Mr. Benjamin Campney of Beaver street, Sewickley, to Ford Brandon of New Castle. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's father on the evening of September 3 at 8 o'clock.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Bagwell Stovell	Pittsburgh
Prudence Deane	Pittsburgh
Andrew C. Wingold	Pittsburgh
Victoria Anderson	Pittsburgh
Joseph C. Wolf	Duquesne
Emma Vene Lantz	Jefferson county
William Jiles	Glassport
Mary Jennings	Glassport
Mikola Vochab	McKees Rocks
Mary Sekkora	McKees Rocks
Edward Farrell	Pittsburgh
Annie Paul	Pittsburgh
Frank Aston	Allegheny
Savanah G. Myers	Pittsburgh
Howard Faubel	Allegheny
Helen Delores Arne	Allegheny
Simon Miller	Braddock
Ledova Cristowski	Braddock
William E. Zimmerman	Bakerstown, Pa.
Lydia L. Neitbercoat	Bakerstown, Pa.
John C. Russell	Butler county
Clara M. Swartzwelder	Pittsburgh
Joseph A. Swaton	Coraopolis
Sarah M. Greiner	Coraopolis
James M. Feimley	Tarentum
Anna G. Howe	Tarentum
Antonio Mostromoca	Pittsburgh
Filomena Marinno	Pittsburgh
Anton Brajlys	McKees Rocks
Sophia Somide	Pittsburgh
Albert Brown	Pittsburgh
Nannie Beckton	Knoxville, Pa.
Joseph Comaskey	Ford City, Pa.
Flora Harker	Ford City, Pa.
Patrick Glynn	McKees Rocks
Eleanor Crowley	McKees Rocks
George Kistler	Allegheny
Anna Siiner	Glenshaw
Andy Sinks	Homestead
Busia Reasko	Homestead
David S. Black	Allegheny
Leesnalous Parsons	Allegheny
Peter Bish, Jr.	Allegheny
Annie Beuhman	Mutzig P. O.
Frederick W. Dunn	Cliff Mines P. O., Pa.
Matilda Auborne	Cliff Mines P. O., Pa.
Harry G. Taylor	Allegheny
Mary J. Stedman	Pittsburgh
George J. Smith	Pittsburgh
Agnes W. Edwards	Pittsburgh
Horace Heiny	Pittsburgh
Lizzie A. Smith	Pittsburgh
John Jacobs	Cambria county, Pa.
Alice Bertha	Cambria county, Pa.

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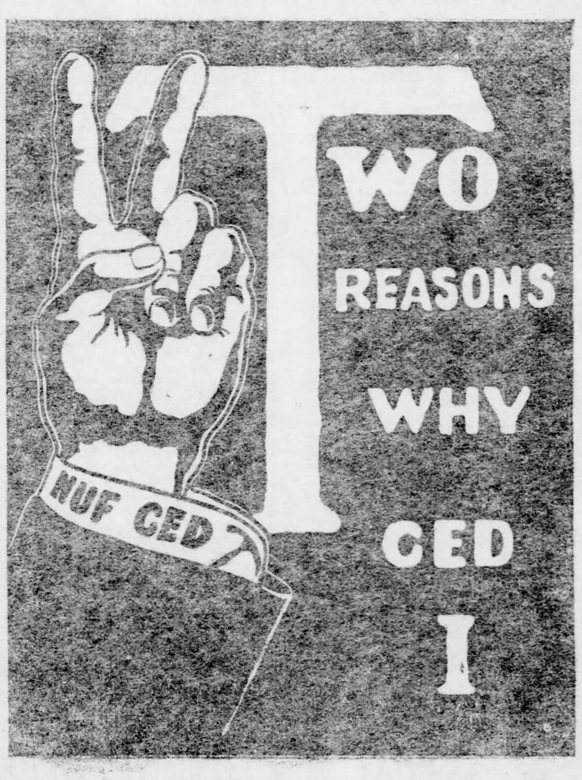

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PIRATES AND GIANTS TO PLAY DOUBLE HEADER

Two Games Are On the Card for Today and Tomorrow.

THAT CHICAGO SERIES

President Dreyfuss Says No Games Have Been Arranged With Comiskey's Team and Jim Hart Did Not Represent Pittsburgh Club.

YESTERDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

Pittsburgh ....Rain.....New York	
Cincinnati 10--Brooklyn	2
Cincinnati 15--Brooklyn	1
Boston	1--St. Louis..... 0
St. Louis.....	3--Boston 2
Philadelphia ..	4--Chicago 2

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	73	54	.575	Cincinnati	48	52	.480
Brooklyn	57	47	.548	St. Louis	46	56	.451
Boston	51	46	.526	Philadelphia	40	61	.396
Chicago	51	50	.505	New York	35	65	.350

League Games Today.

New York at Exposition park.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

When the rainmaker got through doing business yesterday afternoon he left Exposition park in such a soft and soggy condition that a ball game was out of the question. Manager Clarke waited until the last minute in the hope that the haymaker would come out strong enough to dry things up and permit a contest, but Old Sol refused to be coaxed into working overtime, and the scheduled game between the Pittsburgh and New York teams was called off.

The postponement of yesterday's game forces the teams into a double-header this afternoon and this job is not relished because the championstare booked for a double engagement with Brooklyn tomorrow afternoon and four games in two afternoons are not to the liking of the players. The first game this afternoon will be called at 2 o'clock and the pitchers will likely be Taylor for New York and Leever for Pittsburgh, and in the second contest the twirlers will be McGinnity and Doheny or Tannehill. The last named has recovered from his Atlantic City injury and is ready to take his turn in the box.

Mr. Dreyfuss says he realizes that the makeup of next season's team is a matter that belongs to the local public and that he will make his list known of those who are to stay and the ones to go just as soon as he has had a chance to talk over matters with all the players. That the list will contain the names of a few new youngsters is admitted by the club president, but outside of Merritt and Seabring he is not prepared to give any names. One thing certain is that he is not afraid of the American league making any inroads on his team, and does so far as to invite that organization to make the try.

The statement that at a conference in Chicago between James A. Hart, Ban Johnson and Charley Comiskey it was arranged for a series of games for $5,000 a side, between the Pirates and White Stockings in case the latter team wins the American league pennant was news to the Pirates' owner and he said the whole thing was a newspaper man's dream pure and simple. To start out with Mr. Hart was not authorized to do business for the Pittsburgh club, that being a matter which the local officers can handle themselves without any outside help. In answer to a question of how it could be arranged for a series between the clubs when the organizations are still at war, Dreyfuss said that was a matter for future consideration and one that he did not care to discuss at the present time.

That ninth-inning victory which the champions pulled out from the Giants has set the New York players going and they vow that they will get after Clarke's team hot and heavy this afternoon. The New Yorkers were hot over Tuesday's defeat and a mere mention of it was like flaunting a red rag in the face of a bull. They promise to be up and doing this afternoon so that some red hot sport may be expected.

DIVIDED THE HONORS.

Boston and St. Louis Split a Double-Header.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—St. Louis and Boston divided honors in today's double-header. Pittinger had a shade the better of Yerkes, in the box for the first, but Currie held the Bostons safe in the second. Attendance 2,600. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell,	2	0	0	1	0	0	Dexter, s.	0	2	3	4	0
Smoot, m.	0	0	3	1	0	0	Tenney, 1.	0	1	4	1	0
Barclay, 1	0	1	4	0	1	0	Cooley, l.	0	1	2	0	0
Don'an, r	0	0	3	0	0	0	Carney, r.	0	1	1	0	0
Bras'r, 1.	0	0	9	1	0	0	Dement, 2.	0	1	1	4	0
Kruger, s.	0	0	1	2	1	0	Lush, m..	0	0	1	0	0
Hart'n,	3	0	0	2	5	0	Gre'ger,	3	0	2	1	1	0
Ryan, c..	0	0	6	1	0	0	Moran, c.	2	0	0	4	0	0
Yerkes,	p	0	0	0	0	2	0	Pit'gen, p.	1	1	0	2	0	0
Totals	6	1	27	11	2		Totals	6	7	27	14	2	

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Two-base hit—Greminger. Three-base hit—Pittinger. Sacrifice hits—Brashear, Dement, Lush. Double plays—Smoot and Ryan, Hartman, Brashear and Hart'n. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Boston 6. Stolen bases—Donovan, Dexter. Bases on balls—Off Pittinger 2. Struck out—By Yerkes 4, by Pittinger 2. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Boston 6. Time—1:33. Umpire—Emslie.

SECOND GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell,	2	0	1	1	0	0	Dexter, s.	0	2	3	4	1
Smoot, m.	0	0	2	2	0	1	Tenney, 1.	0	1	0	0	0
Barclay, 1	1	1	2	2	1	0	Cooley, l.	0	0	5	0	0
Don'an, r	1	1	3	0	0	0	Carney, r.	0	0	1	1	0
Bras'r, 1.	0	1	13	1	0	0	Dement, s.	0	0	1	0	1
Kruger, s	0	0	1	4	0	0	Lush, m..	0	0	3	0	0
Hart'n	3	0	0	2	1	0	Gre'ger,	3	2	1	1	2	0
Ryan, c..	0	0	2	1	0	0	Kit'dge, c.	0	0	3	8	2	0
Currie, p.	1	1	2	1	3	0	Willis, p..	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	8	3	27	17	3		Totals..	2	6	24	15	9	3

St. Louis	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	*		—3
Boston	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		—2

Sacrifice hit—Tenney. Double plays—Currie and Hartman, Kruger, Farrell and Brashear. Kittredge and Dexter. Hit by pitcher—By Currie 2. Wild pitch—By Willis 1. Bases on balls—Off Currie 2, off Willis 2. Struck out—By Currie 1, by Willis 2. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Boston 6. Time—1:28. Umpire—Emslie.

REDS' BATTING STREAK.

They Didn't Do a Thing to Brooklyn's Pitchers.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 20.—The Cincinnati team developed a batting streak today and Newton and Hughes were their victims. They won both games of the double header in easy fashion. In the first Phillips pitched a very steady game and had Brooklyn at his mercy, while Newton was pounded at will and was very wild. In the second game Poole was wild but effective when he got into tight places. Score:

Cincin.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brook.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Kelley,	3	0	1	1	1	0	Sheck'd,	1	1	1	0	0
Beck'y,	1	2	2	8	1	0	Kesler,	m	1	1	1	1	0
Craw'd,	r	2	2	2	1	0	Dolan,	m.	0	4	2	0	1
Sey'ur,	m	1	1	2	0	1	Dahlen,	s.	0	1	2	4	2
Peitz,	2	2	2	2	2	0	Farrell,	c.	0	1	5	2	0
Co'ran,	s	2	2	4	3	0	Don'van,	1	0	2	11	0	1
Mal'ney,	1	1	2	4	0	1	Flood,	2.	0	1	1	3	0
Bergen,	c.	0	0	2	4	1	0	Newton,	p	0	0	0	4	0
Phillips,	p	0	0	1	2	0	0	Wheeler,	c	0	0	1	2	2	0
Totals	10	14	27	11	2		Totals	2	12	24	12	4	

Cincinnati	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	*—10	
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0—2		

Three-base hits—Corcoran, Dolan. Stolen bases—Kelley, Beckley, Seymour, Sheckard. Double play—Kesler and Donovan. First base on balls—By Newton 3, by Phillips 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Newton 1. Struck out—By Phillips 1, by Newton 4. Time—2:00. Umpires—Brown and Irwin. Attendance—4,000.

SECOND GAME.

Cincin.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brook.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Kelley,	3,	2	2	1	2	0	Sheck'd,	1	1	1	0	0
Beck'y,	1	2	12	1	0	0	Kesler,	r.,	0	2	3	1	0
Craw'd,	r	3	4	0	0	1	Dolan,	m.	0	1	1	0	0
Sey'ur,	m	3	3	1	0	0	Dahlen,	s.	0	2	1	3	0
Peitz,	2	2	7	1	0	0	Farrell,	c.	0	1	5	1	0
Co'ran,	s	1	2	2	6	0	Don'van,	1	0	0	10	2	0
Mal'ney,	1	0	1	3	0	0	Flood,	2.	0	2	1	1	0
Bergen,	c.	0	3	8	0	0	Hughes,	p	0	0	0	1	0
Poole,	p.	0	0	0	2	0	Wheeler,	s	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	15	21	27	16	1		Totals	1	8	24	12	1	

Cincinnati	0	2	5	0	0	4	0	4	*—16		
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1		

Two-base hit—Peitz, Beckley. Three-base hit—Crawford, Kelley, Peitz, Home run—Sheckard, Seymour. Stolen bases—Peitz, Corcoran, Maloney. Double plays—Donovan and Farrell, Peitz and Beckley, Corcoran, Peitz and Beckley. First base on balls—By Poole 2, by Hughes 3. Struck out—By Poole 2, by Hughes 3. Time—1:55. Umpires—Brown and Irwin. Attendance—4,000.

ANOTHER FOR QUAKERS.

Selee's Team Seems to Have Struck the Slide.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—The locals lost their sixth straight game today on costly errors and inability to hit Fraser with men on bases. Four double plays and Lowe's fielding were features of an otherwise uninteresting game. Attendance 1,200. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
W'ms,	r..	1	2	0	0	0	Tho'as,	m	0	1	1	0	0
Slagle,	l.	0	2	2	0	1	Wol'ton,	3	1	1	1	2	0
Men'fee,	1	0	0	12	0	0	Barry,	1..	1	2	4	0	0
Dobbs,	m.	0	1	2	0	1	Krug,	2..	1	2	2	4	0
Tinker,	s.	0	0	0	5	1	Hub'tt,	s.	0	0	2	2	0
Lowe,	2..	0	0	5	5	0	Jenn'gs,	1	0	1	8	1	0
Kling,	c..	0	0	3	1	0	Douglas,	c	0	2	7	0	0
St'fer,	3..	1	2	2	2	0	White,	r..	0	0	1	0	0
Lund'n,	p	0	1	0	3	1	Fraser,	p.	1	1	0	1	1
Totals	2	8	27	17	3		Totals	4	9	27	10	2	

Chicago	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—2		
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*—1		

Left on bases—Chicago 7, Philadelphia 5. Sacrifice hit—Menefee, Lundgren, White, Douglas, Thomas. Stolen bases—Schaefer, Lundgren. Double plays—Lowe and Menafee, Krug and Jennings, Hulbert and Hunt, Jennings and Wolverton, Jennings and Wolverton. Struck out—By Lundgren 2, by Fraser 6. Bases on balls—Off Lundgren 3, off Fraser 2. Time—1:45. Umpire—Cantillon.

P. A. C. BEATEN AGAIN.

Atlantic City Batters Made Merry With Pitchers.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—The Pittsburgh A. C. baseball team was beaten this afternoon by the Atlantic City club by the score of 17 to 2, the locals taking three out of the four games of the series. The biggest crowd of rooters of the season, among whom were many Pittsburghers, witnessed a tame, one-sided game. The batteries were Wentz and Totten pitchers, and Fohl catcher for Pittsburgh, and Brown pitcher and Pierson catcher for Atlantic City.

Atlantic C.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Pgh. A. C.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hagen,	3.	3	1	1	1	1	Rodgers,	m	0	0	1	0	0
Purnell,	1.	3	2	2	2	0	Fohl,	c.	0	0	5	3	0
Pierson,	c	3	3	10	0	0	Schottle,	s	0	0	4	2	0
Bray,	m.	2	3	0	2	0	East,	l..	0	1	2	1	0
Dickson,	s	8	4	4	4	3	Salmon,	3.	0	0	2	2	0
Highley,	r	2	1	1	0	0	Nicholas,	2	0	2	1	2	0
Wolf,	2..	1	0	1	2	0	Barr,	l..	0	2	7	0	0
Voorhees,	1	1	3	8	0	1	Rodgers,	r	1	0	1	0	1
Brown,	p.	0	1	0	1	0	Totten,	p.	0	0	0	0	0
							Wentz,	p.,	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	17	17	27	9	3		Totals	2	6	24	10	3	

Atlantic City	6	3	1	1	1	0	0	5	*—17		
Pittsburgh	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0—2		

Left on bases—Atlantic City, 6; Pittsburgh, 10. Struck out—Brown, 2; Highley, Wolf, Totten, East, McKenna, John Rodgers, Wentz, 2; Schottle, James Rodgers. Bases on balls—Hagen, 3; Purnell, 2, Pierson, Wolf, Fohl, 2; John Rodgers, Salmon. Two-base hits—Pierson, Brown, Fohl. Hit by pitched ball—Highley. Sacrifice hit—Purnell. Stolen bases—Purnell, Bray, Dickson, 2, Voorhees, 2. Time—1:30. Umpire—Dickson.

DONLIN OUT OF JAIL.

Says He Will Get Ready to Play Ball For Cincinnati.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 20.—Michael J. Donlin, the baseball player who was fined $250 and sentenced to six months in jail for assaulting Miss Minnie Fields, a member of the Ben Hur Theatrical Company, last winter, was released from jail today, his fine of $250 having been paid.

Donlin had 30 days taken off his sentence for good behavior and served only five months. Donlin says he will return to play with the Cincinnati baseball club in about ten days.

Lyceum Will Have Strong Team.

The Lyceum football team has reorganized for the season of 1902. Some new faces will be found in the line-up this year. Gillespie of last year's Crescents, has been secured to take the place of the late Thomas Murphy, one of the Lyceum favorites. The following have also secured Dillon and Sweeney of the Crescents, who will strengthen the team considerably. The manager wishes to complete his schedule as soon as possible, as he expects to play the strongest teams in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio. All first-class teams wishing games address manager of the football team, 487 Fifth avenue. The following players will please report at the Lyceum not later than 7:30 p. m. this evening: Barker, McInerney, Campbell, Gillespie, Sweeny, Elkins, Dillon, Donnelly, Quinlan, Reilly, McKeever, Dacey, Clare and Toomey.

EXPERTS TO INVESTIGATE.

Director McCandless Will Employ Engineers to Examine the Point Bridge.

Acting upon the report of Superintendent of Construction Frank H. Schwartz, of the department of public works, Director McCandless stated yesterday that he would have a resolution introduced at the next meeting of councils authorizing the appointment of engineers and fixing their compensation for the purpose of examining the Point bridge. The attention of Director McCandless to the unsafe condition of the Point bridge was called by The Sunday Gazette of August 10 and he has been having his engineers watching the structure ever since. Superintendent Schwartz was sent yesterday to make a thorough examination of the bridge and he made his report to the director.

It is the opinion of Director McCandless that the bridge can be repaired thoroughly at a less cost than it could be torn down and rebuilt, but it is his desire to make sure and he will not act until he gets a complete report from the engineers.

His idea in introducing the resolution into council for the employment of engineers is to guarantee that the investigators will be paid by the city. The experts appointed some time ago to examine the Tenth street bridge have not yet been paid.

Ex-Director Bigelow said yesterday that he had sent a communication to councils regarding the condition of the Point bridge and its need of repair some time ago. He also claimed that about $150,000 had been appropriated for the work but this money had been used on the Tenth street bridge. Mr. Bigelow said that one abutment of the Point bridge was split and that not a dollar's worth of repair had been put on the structure, to his knowledge, for 20 years.

Cruisers at Copenhagen.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 20.—The United States cruisers Chicago and Albany arrived here today from Cronstadt, Russia. They will remain here until August 31. The Danish naval officers are preparing entertainments in honor of the Americans.

PETE HUSTING WAS AN ENIGMA TO THE BROWNS

Connie Mack's Team Continues Its Game Fight for First Place.

BUNCHED HITS WON GAME

The Quakers Landed on Boiler Maker Powell in the Fifth and Scored Enough Runs to Win the Game. Big Crowd Present.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia .. 4--St. Louis.....	1
Chicago .....10--Washington ..	6
Cleveland 6--Boston	3
Baltimore 7--Detroit	6

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Phila'phia	55	41	.573	Cleveland	50	52	.490
St. Louis	54	42	.567	Wash'gton	46	55	.455
Chicago	54	44	.551	Baltimore	42	55	.429
Boston	55	45	.550	Detroit	39	57	.406

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Philadelphia, Aug. 20.—The home team bunched four hits in the fifth inning, scoring three runs, which proved to be enough to defeat St. Louis. Husting was an enigma to the visiting batsmen. Attendance 6,068. Score:

St. Louis	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett,	1	0	6	2	0	0	Hartzel,	1	0	3	2	0	1
Fyfel,	r..	0	0	1	0	0	Fultz,	m..	0	0	4	0	0
Hem'll,	m	0	0	2	0	0	Delah,	l.	1	0	0	1	0
And'on,	1	0	2	5	2	0	Cross,	3	0	0	1	2	0
Wall'ce,	s	0	1	4	2	0	Seybold,	r	1	2	0	0	0
McC'k,	3.	0	1	2	2	0	Murphy,	2	1	2	0	0	0
Padden,	2	0	0	2	1	0	M. Cr'g,	s	0	0	3	6	0
Kahoe,	c.	0	0	4	1	0	Powers,	c.	1	1	2	0	0
Powell,	p	1	1	2	1	0	Husting,	p	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	4	2	24	7	0		Totals	4	9	27	17	1	

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1		
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	*—4		

Three-base hits—Murphy, Husting. Sacrifice hit—Husting. Stolen base—Hartzel. Left on bases—St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 6. First base on balls—Off Husting 3, off Powell 1. Struck out—By Powell 4, by Husting 2. Time—1:40. Umpire—Sheridan.

CARRICK WAS EASY.

Chicago Batters Had a Nice, Soft Thing.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Chicago found Carrick an easy proposition and won today's game handily. Washington batted Callahan out of the box but were unable to hit Patterson. Attendance 2,364. Score:

Wash'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Ryan,	m..	2	1	2	0	0	Strang,	3	3	2	1	2	1
Lee,	r..	0	0	1	4	0	0	Jones,	m	2	1	2	0	0
Deleh'ty,	1	0	2	1	0	0	Green,	r.	1	3	2	0	0
Keister,	2	1	1	2	3	0	Davis,	s.	1	2	1	6	0
Coughlin,	3	1	2	2	3	1	Mertes,	l.	1	1	1	0	0
Arndt,	r.	1	1	2	0	0	Daly,	2.	1	1	1	5	2	0
Elberfeld,	s	0	1	2	6	0	Isbell,	1.	1	1	10	0	0
Clarke,	c.	1	1	5	1	0	M'Farl'd,	c	1	2	2	0	0
Carrick,	p.	0	0	0	0	0	Callahan,	p.	0	0	0	0	0
							Patterson,	p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals..	6	10	27	8	1		Totals..	10	13	27	11	1	

Washington	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—6		
Chicago	1	0	4	1	0	2	0	0	0—10		

Two-base hits—Coughlin, Doyle, Lee, Daly. Three-base hits—Keister, Davis. Stolen bases—Davis. Sacrifice hits—Daly, Patterson. Isbell, Mertes. Double plays—Davis to Isbell, Davis, Daly, Isbell. Base on balls—Off Carrick, 3; off Callahan, 2; off Patterson, 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Carrick, 1; by Patterson, 1. Struck out—Carrick, 5; Patterson, 1. Left on bases—Washington, 7; Chicago, 5. Passed balls—Clarke, 1; M'Farland, 1. Time—1:47. Umpires—Carruthers and Johnstone.

WON ON ERRORS.

Cleveland Took a Game from Boston for This Reason.

BOSTON, Aug. 20.—Every error by the locals and two of Sparks' passes counted in Cleveland's scoring today. Moore kept Boston's hits scattered. Stops by Bradley and Lachance were features. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleve'd.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Gleason,	l	0	2	2	0	0	Say,	m.,	2	0	4	0	1
Stahl,	m	0	1	0	0	0	Bradley,	2	1	2	0	2	0
Collins,	3	1	1	2	1	0	Ja'kson,	2.	0	1	1	2	1
Freeman,	r	1	1	3	0	0	Hickman,	l	0	0	10	0	0
Parent,	s.	0	0	3	2	1	Flick,	r.	0	1	1	0	0
Lachance,	1	0	2	9	1	0	M'Carthy,	1	1	1	4	0	0
Ferris,	2	0	1	2	3	0	Gochnat'r,	s	0	1	0	2	0
Warner,	c	0	0	0	5	1	0	Wood,	c..	0	0	2	0	0
Sparks,	p	0	0	0	1	2	0	Moore,	p.	2	2	0	0	0
*Dough'ty	1	0	0	6	0	0							
Totals..	8	3	27	10	3		Totals...	6	8	27	10	3	

*Batted for Sparks in ninth.

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0—3		
Cleveland	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	1	0—6		

Two-base hit—Moore. Stolen bases—Freeman, 2; Lachance. Double plays—Cochnauer, Ladoie and Hickman, Parent, Ferris and Lachance. Bases on balls—Off Moore, 4; off Sparks, 4. Hit by pitched ball—Moore, 1. Struck out—By Moore, 2; by Sparks, 5. Passed ball—Wood. Time—1:55. Umpire—O'Laughlin. Attendance—7,836.

WON IN THE NINTH.

Orioles Made One of Those Fast Finishes.

BALTIMORE, MD., Aug. 20.—The Baltimore American league team made a soul-stirring finish in today's game with Detroit. After having the game well in hand, Willtse went to pieces in the ninth and allowed the Detroits to score four runs. The tail-enders took a brace, however, and batted out a victory. Score:

Baltimore.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
M Far'd,	m	2	1	2	0	1	Harley,	l.	0	2	0	2	0
Selbach,	l	2	2	0	0	0	Elberfeld,	s	1	1	4	6	0
Williams,	2	0	1	2	7	1	Casey,	3.	1	1	2	1	0
Howell,	1	0	1	1	1	0	Barrett,	m	0	1	2	1	0
Arndt,	r.	1	1	2	0	0	Holmes,	r	1	1	0	0	0
Gilbert,	s	0	2	2	7	0	Beck,	1.	2	2	9	0	0
Robinson,	c	2	2	8	1	0	Gleason,	2.	0	0	2	2	0
Smith,	c.	0	0	2	0	0	M'Alister,	c	1	2	2	1	0
Wiltse,	p	0	0	1	1	0	Yeager,	p.	0	0	0	2	0
Totals..	7	12	27	17	2		Totals...	6	10*	25	16	0	

*One out when run that won was made.

Baltimore	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2—7		
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—6		

Sacrifice hit—Arndt. Two-base hit—Selbach. Home run—Holmes. Stolen bases—Smith, Elberfeld, Harley. Double play—Elberfeld and Beck. First base on balls—By Wiltse, 2; by Yeager, 2. Left on bases—By Yeager, 2. Left on bases—Baltimore, 5; Detroit, 6. Time—1:55. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance—1,145.

American Yacht a Certain Winner.

COWES, ISLE OF WIGHT, Aug. 20.—The Utowana passed Prawle Point on her return at 12:10 p. m. today. It is not expected that she will reach Cowes before morning, but she is regarded as a certain winner.

WILL ADVERTISE THE ABUSE.

Novel Plan Humane Society May Adopt to Check Cruelty to Horses.

A new plan of calling the attention of owners and drivers to the fact that they are abusing their horses will probably be put into effect by the Humane society. The plan is simply that of placing on the bridle of a horse which shows abuse a shipping tag tied with blue tape. On the card is printed many abuses to which horses are subjected, such as lack of food, improper shoeing, sores caused by harness, etc., and the particular abuse from which the horse is suffering is checked by a pencil mark. It is expected the publicity thus given the abuse will cause the driver to make amends if his sense of humanity does not.

At yesterday's meeting of the society P. W. Laird was appointed an agent at West Homestead.

MATCHES WON IN STRAIGHT SETS

FIRST DAY OF NATIONAL TENNIS TOURNEY VERY DULL.

Feature Sets of Day Were Arranged Between Dougherty, Champion of All England, and Clarence Hobart--American Was Badly Outclassed.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 20.—Twenty-one matches, practically clearing up the first round of the national lawn tennis championship at the Casino were played today and the sport as a rule was dull and uninteresting. With a few exceptions the matches were all settled in straight sets.

The committee chose to feature the match between H. L. Doherty, champion of all England, and Clarence Hobart, one of the veteran American players, but even this failed to interest a large crowd as Hobart was considerably beneath the Englishman in ability.

Tomorrow more exciting work is anticipated, especially as the English pair will meet Ward and Davis for the championship in doubles.

The H. L. Doherty-Hobart match came off on the championship court shortly after 11 o'clock, but as only three sets were played it was all over inside of an hour and 20 minutes.

After the Englishman had taken two sets with apparent ease, he let up in his work and it looked as if he gave Hobart every opportunity to win the third set. In fact the American had the Englishman five sets to two in this set, when he suddenly let up in his pace and his opponent took the next five games and won the set and match.

The spectators who expected some brilliant tennis, were considerably disappointed and the crowd scattered about the other courts, where better matches were being played.

First round—M. D. Whitman beat J. S. Seabury, 6—0, 6—1, 6—0. R. D. Hunt beat C. F. Watson, 9—7, 6—3, 6—3. D. F. Appleton beat J. G. Willis, 6—0, 6—3, 6—4. C. S. Lee beat R. R. Fischer, 6—0, 6—0, 6—1. Le B. Mahan beat F. B. Cutting, 6—2, 7—5, 6—4. W. F. Foulke beat E. A. Leonard, 6—4, 6—3, 6—2. H. E. Avery beat Craig Biddle, 6—0, 6—3, 6—4.

Second round—R. D. Little beat P. P. Sharples, 6—4, 6—4, 6—4.

Analysis of Doherty-Hobart match, doubles: H. L. Doherty, Places. Nets. Outs. Faults. Totals.

First set	7	10	15	0	32
Second set	10	11	11	1	33
Third set	5	14	23	0	42
Totals	22	35	49	1	107

Clarence Hobart.					
First set	5	5	8	1	19
Second set	16	7	8	0	30
Third set	11	8	15	0	31
Totals	31	17	31	1	80

ALTOONA'S TOURNAMENT.

Events in Golf, Tennis and

WARNER PROVED TO BE PUZZLE AND JOHNSTOWN WON

Punxsy Players Unable to Solve Flood City Pitcher's Curves.

MANY ERRORS WERE MADE

Both Teams Tripped Up on Several Plays and the Game Was Listless and Uninteresting Throughout the Nine Innings.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Punxsutawney, Pa., Aug. 20.—Errors were responsible for every score, made by both Punxsutawney and Johnstown in today's game, the locals being the chief offenders.

Warner was a puzzle that the home team wrestled with unsuccessfully, while Hyland was too excited to go against the iron puddlers for the second time in this series. Score:

Punxsutawney.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Johnstown.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
McKinley, l	0	0	1	0	0	Hile, l	1	1	2	0	0
Cam'bell, l	0	0	6	0	0	Dwilher, s	1	2	3	5	0
O'Hare, r	0	0	3	0	1	Goff, m	1	0	2	0	0
Gessler, m	1	0	2	0	1	O'Neil, 1	1	1	11	1	0
Thornton, s	0	0	1	1	0	Briebin, 2	0	1	1	1	0
Clark, 2	0	0	0	1	1	Carlisle, 3	0	0	1	2	0
Huber, c	0	1	5	0	0	Owens, r	0	0	2	0	0
Ferguson, s	0	0	1	1	3	Burns, c	0	2	3	1	0
Hyland, p	0	0	1	4	0	Varner, p	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	2	2	24	7	6	Totals	6	7	27	11	1

Punxsutawney	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1
Johnstown	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	—6

Two-base hit—Hile. Sacrifice hits—Dowling, Varner. Second base—Gessler. Struck out—By Hyland, 4; by Varner, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Gessler, 2. Bases on balls—McKinley, Hile, 2; Carlisle. Umpire—Cummings.

Eleven-Inning Contest at Leetsdale.

The All-Stars of Leetsdale yesterday defeated the Elmhurst Inn colored team of Sewickley in one of the best and most interesting games seen at Leetsdale this season by the score of 3 to 2. The game was a pitchers' battle in which Good had the better of the argument, striking out 18 men and was given fine, errorless support by the home team. Bowman also pitched fine ball, striking out 12 men. Both pitchers did good work with the stick. A feature of the game was the catching of Palmer and Jackson. Score:

All-Stars	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1—3
Elmhurst	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—2

Two-base hits—J. Weber 2, E. Bowman. Three-base hits—Mortimer. Sacrifice hit—Burkhurst. Stolen bases—Stars 5, Elmhurst 2. Struck out—By Good 18, by Bowman 12. Bases on balls—Off Good 7, off Bowman 6. Hit by pitched ball—By Good 5, by Bowman 2. Umpire—McLane.

Wheeling Won at Warren.

WARREN, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—Warren was defeated today in a fast ten-inning game by the Wheeling, W. Va., team. Benson, who occupied the box for the visitors, was hit for four singles in the first inning, after that the locals were unable to connect. Hopper's running catch of a long fly was a feature. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Warren	3	6	2
Wheeling	4	11	0

Batteries—Sheehan and Felper; Bennett and Needham. Two-base hits—Nugent, Mahlin 2. Three-base hits—Mahlin. Umpire—Hall.

Will Decide Championship.

MONESSEN, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—In answer to Manor's challenge to play a game of baseball to decide the championship of Westmoreland county, the Monessen team accepts the match for August 30, asking a side bet of from $100 to $500, and will give them 50 per cent of the gate receipts. The game scheduled with Homestead today at Athletic park was called off on account of rain. The Monessen team will play at Monongahela next Saturday.

McDonald Won from Washington.

M'DONALD, PA., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—McDonald defeated Washington in a well-played game at Washington today. The feature of the game was the fine pitching of Sweeney at critical points. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	3	6	3
McDonald	4	9	2

Umpires—Hayes and Thompson.

Homestead Defeats Millvale.

An interesting game of ball was played last night at Steel Works park, Homestead, by electric light, between the Homestead and Millvale teams. Homestead won by a score of 7 to 3. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Homestead	7	9	5
Millvale	3	6	6

Batteries—Miller and Shriver, Williams and Piper.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Our Boys and Dwyer A. C. cross bats tonight at West Elna park in a game by electric light.

The Riverside football team would like all players to report at 7:30 o'clock this evening at corner of Main and Carson streets.

The Pirate Juniors would like to hear from all 8 or 9-year-old teams claiming the championship. Address Joe Veeson, Washington street, near Madison avenue, Allegheny.

The B. B. and B baseball team would like to hear from all good amateur teams for August 23 or any other Saturday. Call up P. & A. telephone No. 2 North, or Bell 104-3 North.

The Ellwood A. C. would like to arrange a game with Madison A. C., Humboldt A. C. or Arlington A. C. or any 15 or 16-year-old team for Sunday. Address Frank Jacoby, 7 Buchanan street, Allegheny.

The Solar A. C. has no game for August 31 and would like to hear from any 11 or 12-year-old teams, Spring Hill Stars, Humboldts preferred. Address William Scherer, manager, 88 Solar street, Allegheny.

The Brown A. C. plays Canonsburg on Saturday and Sutherville two games on Labor Day. All strong out-of-town teams are wanted for games in September. Address Charles Sell, East Pittsburgh, Pa., or 1913 Bedford avenue, city.

The J. M. Welsts will play Mifflin A. C. on Saturday on Mifflin grounds. The Welsts still have a few open dates and would like to hear from any 14 to 16-year-old team. Address C. Zollinger, Twenty-seventh and Smallman streets, Pittsburgh.

The Twilights' second team defeated the Elm A. C. by the score of 18 to 10. The features of the game was the pitching and all around playing of Ruben. The Twilight No. 2 challenges all 8 or 9-year-old teams. Address J. R. Kernan, box 885, city.

The Fisher A. C. of the South Side is without a game for Saturday, August 23, and would like to hear from some good amateur team. Away from home. Address William Fisher, 1909 Wrights alley, South Side, or call up 178 Main P. & A. or 178 Grant Bell telephone.

The Lemington A. C.'s play the Melvin-Tuning Pin team on the Lemington grounds. A good game is expected. The Lemington A. C. would like to hear from any 10 or 11-year-old team. Leach A. C. or Beaumont Sluggers Juniors preferred for games after August 23 on the Lemington grounds. Half fare for 10 players. Address Lawrence H. Cassidy, Lemington square, Pittsburgh.

The manager of the Swissvale team writes: "Last week Bashton claimed in the papers that they had been stoned by Swissvale in their game at Swissvale, but did not say that it was not done by Swissvale players, but by outsiders, nor did Bash say that it was because Bashton left the grounds singing indecent songs and using profane language. Teams like Windsors and Cottage Club, which are composed of gentlemen, will give Swissvale the best kind of references."

The Verners play the famous Imperials this evening in the mill probably for the last twilight game of the season at Friendship park. A good game is expected, as the Imperials have rounded up a great team for the occasion. Game called at 6 o'clock sharp. Saturday the Verners play Iroquois and Monday the champion Homesteads will be at Friendship park. Coleman, who pitched P. A. C. to victory at Atlantic City, will likely pitch for Verners, and Bowman or Bennett for Homestead.

Owing to the fact that the last meeting of the Tiger A. C. was a fizzle it is wished by the management that all the players and those wishing to try for this year's team should report to No. 1027 Lamont street next Monday evening, August 25, at 8 o'clock. Robson, Briggs, Burry, Cassel, Thompson, Tiernare, Emanuel, Schilpp, Derrick, Algeo, McKelvey, McGiffin, Gleun, Hunter, Hersberger, Reiter, Briney, Shamers and Meyer are specially requested to report. All 90 to 100-pound teams with grounds can secure a game by addressing C. Reiter, Nov. 325 Hemlock street, Allegheny.

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East End Residences.

FOR RENT.
Desirably located.
Houses with modern conveniences, all sizes and prices.
Send card for list and map of East End, free.
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FOR RENT—East End; two center hall, brick houses; 12 rooms, tile bath, h. and c. water, both gases, range, laundry, highly-polished hardwood floors; also finely frescoed and papered throughout.
GAULT & GIFFEN,
316 Fourth ave.

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ALCAZAR APARTMENTS.

$37.50 per month; possession September 1; suites of 5 rooms and bath, private hall, modern conveniences, newly papered and decorated; janitor service.
GAULT & GIFFEN,
316 Fourth ave.

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HIGHLAND AVE., 407, South, East End—Pleasant second-story room, with alcove, or rooms en suite; reference.

Desk Room.

DESK ROOM.
For Rent—Good desk room with desk; $10 per month; use of telephone. Inquire Room 20, 324 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—Desk room in finest location in the city; use of desk, 'phone, etc. Address H 57, The Gazette.

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FOR RENT—$35; storeroom on Fifth ave., with two living rooms in rear; would be good location for drug store.
GAULT & GIFFEN,
316 Fourth ave.

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FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR SALE—
ON SHETLAND AVE.

Ten-room frame house, with lot 50x107 feet; just a few steps from Lincoln ave. cars; fine big lot; nice surroundings; will sell for $6,000.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

SQUIRREL HILL RESIDENCE.

Only $11,000; 10-room brick, mahogany floor in parlor; oak floor in reception hall; downstairs finished throughout in hardwoods; two baths; steam heat; radiator in every room; lot 60x150 feet; corner property; street paved, sewered, etc.; terms reasonable. It's cheap.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

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Frame house of six rooms and basement; bath; good plumbing, hot and cold water; large lot; price only $2,800; reasonable terms; near Castle Shannon incline.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

ON STANTON AVENUE.

Ten-room brick house; tile bath; hot and cold water; both gases, hardwood mantels, tile hearths, furnace, laundry, cemented cellar; lot 32x120 feet; price $18,500.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

TEN PER CENT INVESTMENT.

Seven brick houses in East End; 6 rooms and bath, laundry, cemented cellar, furnace, bath, both gases, hardwood finish throughout, stationary wardrobes and china, both gases, hardwood mantels, open plumbing, two w. c.'s; perfect in detail; two minutes' walk to cars; 10 minutes from city hall; price $28,000, or $4,000 each.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

ON NORTH EUCLID.

A cozy little frame house of 6 rooms; bath, laundry and all conveniences; trees, porches, etc.; wide lot, price cut to $3,500; it's in nearly new and select neighborhood; convenient to cars.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

Bellevue Properties.

A BARGAIN.

Good frame house, with all modern conveniences, near car line; lot 50x140; $5,500.

WASHINGTON.

Two new frame houses, eight rooms each, with bath, hot and cold water, laundry, cemented cellars, hardwood mantels; lot 50x130; $5,200.

FOREST AVE.

Eight-roomed frame house, with every convenience, in choice location; lot 50x150; $5,000.

Five 10-roomed brick houses in Kendall place; these houses are all elegantly finished, have bath, instantaneous water heaters, inside w. c., cemented cellars, with laundry, gas and electric lights, furnace, hardwood floors; fine lawns, with plenty of shrubbery; prices from $8,500 to $10,000.

Fine building sites in any part of the borough at most reasonable rates.

BELLEVUE REALTY SAVINGS TRUST CO.
Bellevue, Pa.

FOR SALE—having left Pittsburgh I will sell both of my residence properties; each contains seven rooms, hall, front and rear porches; each rents for $18; located at 1330 Lincoln ave., East End; the other on the corner of Washington and Isabella ave., 38th ward (near the south end of new tunnel); price $2,000 for either; terms $800 down.
S. W. WILSON,
Niles, Ohio.

SHERIDAN.

New frame house of six rooms, hall, bath, finished attic, front and rear porches, good cellar, lot 25x100 feet; street paved and sewered.

BARR BROS. & CO.,
412 Grant st.

AVALON COTTAGE.

$3,600 will buy an 8-roomed frame cottage, with bath, gas, porches; fine level lot 40x120; fine neighborhood; easy terms.
E. A. HESS & CO.,
405 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—A modern house, 8 rooms and reception hall, bath and laundry. Taylor ave., Avalon, one square from street cars. A bargain at $4,750. Address H. H. Dick, Carolyn ave., Bellevue.

IF you want to purchase, house, lots, or rent in Ingram, I can save time, money and squarenes. C. F. Ward, office and car line.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE—Best location on wide paved street, near Highland and Negley aves.; new 10-roomed reception hall, brick house, bath, pantry, laundry, slate tubs, furnace, cabinet mantels, chandeliers; high grade decorations; wide front porch, etc.; workmanship, price and terms cannot be excelled. See owner, C. G. Mitchell, 815 Heberton ave. Bell 'phone 1568-2 East.

FOR SALE—EAST END.

The most delightful spot in East End. Lathrop street, near Terrace; beautiful view and free from smoke; 9 rooms, reception hall and bath. Price low and easy terms. Open all day; 12 minutes to city and car every minute. Owner, 609 Times building.

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Lots.

FOR SALE—Shadyside lot,
Being one of the very few choice lots For sale in that section 68 ft. front.
See
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WILKINSBURG LOTS—Glen and Montour streets; on new car line; $250 to $850; offered on easy monthly payments; every one a bargain. Ira C. Ewing Co., 212-13 Ferguson Bldg.

FOR SALE.

Manufacturing Sites.

MANUFACTURING SITES.

FOR SALE—
Desirable Manufacturing Site For Sale—Also Dwelling House Property.

About seven acres in the Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, above the Sharpsburg bridge, adjoining the property of Hubbard & Co. shovel works, running from Butler street to the Allegheny river, having a frontage of about 850 feet, with railroad facilities. This is a very desirable site for manufacturing purposes.

Also about 8 acres near 57th street, in the 18th ward, fronting about 850 feet on Butler street, suitable for building purposes; there are some buildings on the 8-acre tract.

Apply to THE ATLANTIC REFINING CO., J. Abiett, 800 Duquesne way, city.

MANUFACTURING SITE.

A fine site for a manufacturing and industrial city on the Pennsylvania railroad; 1,000 acres of coal, Pittsburgh vein; Connellsville basin, controlled for fuel, and 600 acres of land for manufacturing and building sites; abundant supply of good water flows through the property. Liberal terms for fuel supply, and land will be given to reliable parties who will locate desirable industries. Further details can be obtained by addressing Box 67, Station D, Pittsburgh, Pa.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—10 frame houses of six rooms each, in Allegheny City, near Perrysville avenue; annual rent, $1,380; price, $22,500; mortgage, $10,000; what have you clear to trade for this equity?
JAMES E. GLASS, 403 Grant st.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—$4,000; fronting Herron Hill park; an excellent 5-room house; modern; bath; gas range, slate roof; worth more money; will consider home worth $6,000 in exchange. Ira C. Ewing Co., 212-13 Ferguson Bldg.

For Sale or Exchange—$55,000—About 675 feet frontage in Oakland, near Fifth ave., with large brick dwelling, suitable for building flats.
JAMES E. GLASS, 403 Grant st.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Fine level unencumbered lots in Eleventh ward, Allegheny. Box 678, Pittsburgh.

Business Opportunities.

MILK ROUTE
In city; selling 250 gallons daily; 3 horses, 2 wagons; must be sold quick; cash or real estate; $1,600.

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In well-established printing business in city; owner cannot attend to inside and outside work and wants good man; experience not necessary; $800.

HOTEL AND BAR
In town near city; 30 rooms; house full all the time; bar doing $45 daily; $4,500.

SALOONS.
Four good saloons in city; price ranging from $4,800 to $8,000.

GEORGE & CO.,
429 Fourth Ave.

Cost $12,000

Will sell for $8,500. Too large for mother and child. Brick dwelling, 9 rooms, all conveniences; good street, near cars and parks.
GEORGE R. LAUMAN, 434 Fourth Ave.

BUSINESS of all kinds sold, partners secured for established business, stock companies organized and industrial enterprises financed; all business strictly confidential.
CAVANAGH & CO., removed to 236 Fourth ave.

BUTTER, EGG AND MILK BUSINESS—In city; centrally located; doing business $200 a week, rent $50 month, including 6 rooms and bath; price $1,000.
CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—A saw mill, complete and ready to run; cable feed, 56-inch Canton inserted tooth saw; capacity, 11,000 feet daily; tow trucks, log turner, Krick Hardware Co., Connellsville, Pa.

FOR SALE—At a bargain; must sell quick; stock of second-hand merchandise; location unexcelled; a business opening you should not overlook. Address F. S. Gleason, Jr., Vandergrift, Pa.

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CAVANAGH & CO., 236 Fourth ave.

BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY—Located in city of 15,000 people, 7 miles from Pittsburgh; price $3,000.
CAVANAGH & CO., 236 Fourth ave.

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CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

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OWING to ill health will sell bottling works at a bargain. Address Box O, Derry station.

WE can sell your business, no matter where located. Tait & Murtha, 31, 339 Fifth ave.

ROOMING house, 12 rooms, furnished complete; cheap. 109 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Send for list. Estep & Co., 326 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Cigar store; splendid stand, bargain. 2304 Fifth ave.

Horses and Vehicles.

Our Stock Too Large.
Hand-Made, Open and Top Delivery Wagons.
Also Some Factory Made
At Much Less Than Regular Prices.
GERBER CARRIAGE CO., 19-27 Fifth st.

FOR SALE—Light horse, harness and wagon, suitable for laundry or other delivery; horse 6 years old; sound; reason for selling want of use. 74 Washington ave., South Side, Hill Top.

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THE best imitation typewritten printed circulars in the city are done by H. C. Knapp, Printer, 3521 Butler st. Send for sample.

Pianos.

BARGAINS IN PIANOS AND ORGANS.

Ten slightly used upright pianos of best makes, in perfect condition, from $100 upward.

Fifteen good square pianos, including genuine Chickering, Hardman, Steinway and Kranich & Bach pianos, in splendid condition. Go for $225 upward.

Twenty slightly used Estey, Packard, Farrand and Votey, and Hamilton organs, with two to three sets reeds, in handsome oak walnut cases, go from $20 upward; perfect condition. Easy payments can be arranged.

FREDERICK W. JENTE, The Reliable Music Dealer,
163 Smithfield st. Smithfield building.
Largest stock of pianos in Pittsburgh.
Largest dealers between New York and Chicago. Sole agents for genuine Chickering, Hardman and Kroeger pianos and Estey organs. Cut this out. Bring it with you.

PIANO BARGAINS.

A small payment down at Hoffmann's and $8.00 to $10.00 per month will make you the possessor of a fine piano, and we are now offering a magnificent special upright on these terms only $125.00. This instrument is worth $300.00 and if you want a good upright at a low price, here it is. This piano has been used a short time, but its appearance is like new. Has elegant action, massive carved case, and fully warranted. Come at once and inspect this—you'll say it is the best piano value you ever saw. Hoffmann's Music House, 537 Smithfield st.

Machinery.

1 600-lb. Pratt & Whitney drop hammer.
1 3-ton Morgan steam hammer.
1 No. 2 Bliss steel punch.
1 Hydraulic accumulator.
1 Bement double and axle lathe.
1 Buhl punch, capacity ¾-in. x ¾-in.
1 Allison, capacity 1¼-in. x ¾-in.
1 6-ft. Lewis grinding pan.
1 Complete laboratory outfit for steel plant.
2 10-ton hydraulic jib cranes.
1 15-ton traveling crane; hand power.
ENGINES, BOILERS AND PUMPS.
WICKES BROS.,
808 Frick building.
Warehouse 45th st. and A. V. Ry.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 9 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable, upright boilers and engines, second-hand plant kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers, and large lot of miscellaneous machinery; second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at less than factory. Machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Fark way, Allegheny, Pa.

STEEL RAILS WANTED.

WANTED—ONE TO THREE MILES SECOND-HAND STEEL RAILS, 56, 35 OR 40-LB.; ALSO ONE TO TWO MILES 56, 20 OR 30-LB. REPLIES MUST STATE PRICE, LOCATION AND CONDITION OF RAILS. ADDRESS O 61, THE GAZETTE.

FOR SALE—Engines and boilers, saw mills, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, crushing pans, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hay presses, hydraulic cider mills, wind wheels, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies. Address
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ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.
Direct connection, belted to Nash gas engines. Force & Briggs, Fourth and Liberty aves.

N. C. DAVISON,
Gas and Steam Engines, Boilers, Pumps, Compressors. 108 Market st.

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BIG bargains in shopworn and good second-hand sewing machines; all makes. NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE CO., 131 Sixth st., next to Bijou theater.

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AT lowest prices for cash or time; make your own terms; bar fixtures, work boards, pumps, billiard tables, safes, etc. S. Delp Sons, corner Fourth and Liberty sts.

Miscellaneous.

THE PITTSBURGH AUCTION CO., LTD., 618-620-622 Wylie ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; auctions sales Mondays and Thursdays of each week at 10 a. m.; consignments solicited; buy and sell everything second-hand; call and see us.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.
Appropriate, attractive and business bringing ones made best by P. J. Byrne, the painter, 634 Fifth ave. and 55 Tunnel st.; both phones.

FOR SALE.

Miscellaneous.

APPLE BARRELS—Carload and local shipments. The Edwin Bell Co., 11th st., South Side, Pittsburgh.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—Theodore Low de Vinne, the highest authority in this country on composition and typography, condemns unwarranted abbreviations. Walter Pearce, an English authority, regrets the injudicious use of different styles of lettering and the sham relief of shaded letters. This and more is to be known when good lettering is done. For correct and reasonable sign work, call or send for
P. J. BYRNE,
634 Fifth ave. Late with E. E. Garnsey.

WILD CHERRY PEPSIN TOAST.
Here is to a friend that conquered my pain,
Here is to a friend that rules my heart.
In other words here is to you.
WILD CHERRY PEPSIN when wherever introduced makes long, lasting, lasting friendship.
Supply Dept. Howard Sexbey,
Keystone Chemical Works Co.
Vertreter Verlangt.) Twentieth and Penn
Wanted.) Pittsburgh.

"RICH YOUR APPAREL
as the purse can buy."
Keep your house well dressed, too; that's important.
BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

PERSONAL—Allen's Rug Works, 3905 and 3907 Cedar ave., E. E., will weave your old carpets into fine rugs and druggets; send for circular.

PERSONAL—MLLE. LE SOURD, masseur, manicure and chiropodist; diplomas, New York and Cincinnati schools. Herron building, 826 Federal st., Allegheny.

PERSONAL—When you need printing call up Bell 'phone 81 Fisk, or P. & A., 81 Lawrence, and get H. C. Knapp's prices on good work.

PERSONAL—Commercial printing and blank books done as you want them; prompt and reasonable. H. C. Knapp. Both 'phones.

PERSONAL—Call by telephone or drop a postal and I will call on you when you want printing. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st.

PERSONAL—Why not get good printing, it pays; always see H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Commercial printing a specialty.

PERSONAL—More books—Many new books lately purchased. Levi's Book Store, 829 Liberty st.

PERSONAL—Business cards printed properly. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

PERSONAL—Swedish massage; manicuring. Elsie Mills, 800 Penn ave., second floor.

PERSONAL—Electric shoe repairing factory, 220 Diamond st., do best work.

FOUND.

FOUND—
THE WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.,
125 Sixth st.,
Always has on hand a good lot of second-hand and shop-worn machines which they are selling cheap. All machines are guaranteed for five years. Call at once and you will get a bargain.

SIGNS OF SPRING
on any other season made or furnished on short notice. P. J. Byrne, painter, late with E. E. Garnsey, 634 Fifth ave., and 55 Tunnell st.; both 'phones.

FOUND—Upholstering, repairing, refinishing furniture. The Guarantee Upholstering Company, 1522 Beaver ave.; both 'phones; estimates furnished.

FOUND—Printing executed exactly correct by H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones. Commercial Printing Our Specialty.

FOUND—Good printing on good paper is what we do. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

LOST.

"WHO RUNS MAY READ"
the readable signs made by P. J. Byrne, the painter, are the best. 634 Fifth ave., and 55 Tunnel st.; both 'phones.

LOST—The chance to get good painting done if you fail to get P. J. Byrne, the painter, to give you an estimate. 634 Fifth ave.

SPECIAL.

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION
BETTER THAN A POUND OF CURE.
Before the sun and weather cracks, warps or tubs your woodwork, or starts the paint to run from brickwork, have them painted.
BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

COMMERCIAL printing and blank books is my specialty. H. C. Knapp, printer, 3521 Butler st. Telephones, P. & A., 81; Bell, 81 Fisk.

REMEMBER H. C. Knapp's 'phone numbers are P. & A., 81 Lawrence; Bell 81 Fisk, when you want good printing at the right price.

COMMERCIAL printing is what we do, and do it right at reasonable cost. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones.

REMOVALS.

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS.
This is a true saying when said of painting. Paint your house now, the best season of the year. Send for BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

AFTER you move you will need new stationery. Call up H. C. Knapp, the printer, on either telephone, and a representative will call.

FOR stationery, booklets, blank books, etc., printed promptly, see H. C. Knapp, printer, 3521 Butler st. Call either telephone.

DETECTIVE AGENCY.

M'SWEENEY'S Interstate Detective Agency, 425 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa., transacts a general detective business. All communications strictly confidential.

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E. W. Harden's Daily New York Business Letter

BIG MEN SHIVER UPON APPROACH OF J. P. MORGAN

Stocks Start Jumping When Chief Bull Walks Down Gang Plank.

WARM DAY IN THE STREET

Schwab Makes Call on Great Financier, and Everybody Is Pleased With Steel Man's Look of General Good Health.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The home-coming of J. P. Morgan was easily the biggest stock market event of the summer. In honor of it the bull party got up something of a hurrah in the market. Louisville & Nashville was advanced to yet another high record price at 159½ on the idea that the deal will be concluded forthwith on terms meaning 7 per cent for the stock. Southern Railway developed conspicuous strength on the theory that it, too, will benefit immediately in a speculative way from the consummation of the Louisville & Nashville deal.

All of the coalers stiffened because there persists an impression that Mr. Morgan's presence somehow will hasten the end of the aggravated strike trouble, and United States Steel, the most typical Morgan stock, was stronger than at any previous time since the broaching of the disputed conversion scheme. The common advanced sharply across 41 on very good buying, and the street was filled with professional information of a big rise in the steels. It was evident, however, that professional traders were taking advantage of the speculative enthusiasm incident to Mr. Morgan's home-coming to sell a great many stocks. In the afternoon trading pressure to realize caused a fractional recession throughout the active list and final quotations were considerably below the best.

Uncertainty of Money.

It is critically objected that the market is being hulled too hard, while money is yet a factor of extreme uncertainty. Call interest rates today were moderately easy, and there was an increased offering of country funds. Interior banks and other financial institutions are forwarding their unemployed balances to New York in anticipation of higher interest rates for the balance of the month, and this movement may operate automatically to keep the money market in check. A number of the larger banks, however, have been warning commission houses this week to prepare for a higher range of interest rates for a period of between 30 and 60 days. Commission houses in turn have been urging clients to take profits and reduce their commitments.

It is an undisputed fact that most of the large commission houses here in Wall street are carrying all the stocks they can conveniently care for. Many of them are anxious to be rid of a percentage of their accounts. The public interest in stocks as reflected in commission house books is larger, perhaps, than ever before, but these accounts are generally inactive. Clients are loaded with securities and simply sit and nurse them. It is to the outside public, the interior public, that Wall street looks for fresh buying power. There is no pressure anywhere to sell stocks but here in Wall street, but, on the other hand, there is no apparent disposition to increase speculative holdings. It is significant that the buying on which stocks have been advancing these past few days has come principally from western wire houses.

All Fear the Chief Bull.

It is a proverb in Wall street that "everybody is afraid of Morgan." Within his banking house at an early hour this morning there was evidence of high nervous tension. From the junior partners down to the messenger boy everybody was got up in his neatest raiment. The air of nervous anxiety was almost oppressive. On debarking from the Oceanic Mr. Morgan went directly to his office. At the pier he was besieged by a pestiferous crowd of picture takers and reporters. One of the newspaper men tells the story that a camera artist more polite than his fellows approached Mr. Morgan and asked him if he minded having his picture taken. Mr. Morgan shook his cane vigorously and roared that he would not have his picture taken for $5,000,000, whereupon one of the less reverent artists spoke out, saying: "You have lost $25,000,000, Mr. Morgan; we have that many pictures of you."

On arriving at his office Mr. Morgan shook hands with the big private policeman who stands just within the door. He always does that. He passed hurriedly into his private office, where he conferred with Clement A. Griscom, Samuel Spencer, president of the Southern railway; Mr. Schwab, president of the United States Steel corporation, the junior partners of the firm and other financial intimates. It was remarked that those who through the big glass partition were able to witness the contact between Mr. Morgan and his conferees without, of course, hearing what was said, that Mr. Steele, one of the junior partners of the firm, and Mr. Schwab were the only persons in the gathering who seemed not to stand in awe of the great financier. Mr. Schwab's attitude was one of irreverent cordiality. He seemed to have some emphatic statements to make, but they must have been good-natured statements judging from the smiles which at intervals they evoked from Mr. Morgan and the others.

Taking View of Schwab.

Wall street had an opportunity today to look Mr. Schwab over and his personal appearance was enough to give the lie to the outrageous stories that recently have been circulated alleging that he was suffering from some strange illness. His associates in the financial world here have never seen him look outwardly better. He is brown and robust and cheerful.

It is expected that he will sail on Saturday for Europe. He himself insists that he is going in pursuit of pleasure and steadfastly ignores the rumors of an important mission. Mr. Schwab refused today to be interviewed by anybody on any subject, although he exchanged friendly greetings with the newspapermen whom he happened to meet.

Colorado Fuel was thrown into high bearish relief against a very bullish background. In the first few minutes of trading it broke nearly 8 points to 80¼. Its decline was owing to the news from Denver indicating at least a temporary victory for the Osgood faction at the afternoon meeting. The defeat of the Gates opposition, of course, would invest the future of the property with a great deal of uncertainty. The volume of the selling in today's session of the market, however, was out of proportion to the size of the non-partisan interest in the stock, and was thought, therefore, to reflect operations for the account of one or the other party to the row.

E. W. HARDEN.

IN THE MONEY MARTS.

New York Call Loans Are Steady at from 3 to 4 Per Cent.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Money on call steady at 3@4 per cent; closing offered at 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 87.10 for demand and at $4 84.35 for 60 days; posted rates, $4 85½ and $4 88; commercial bills, $4 83¾@4 84¾; bar silver, 52¼c; silver certificates for 10,000 ounces sold at 52¾c; Mexican dollars, 41¼c; government bonds steady; state bonds inactive; railroad bonds firm.

PARIS, Aug. 20.—Three per cent rentes, 100f 82½ centimes for the account; Spanish 4s, 81.90.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—Gold premiums are quoted at Buenos Ayres at 120.20; at Madrid, 36.80; at Lisbon, 28.84; India council bills were allotted today at 1s 3 15-16d; money, 2½ per cent; for short bills, 2⅝@2 11-16 per cent; three months' bills, 2 11-16@2¾ per cent.

Supplementary New York Stocks.

(By Leased Wire to The Gazette.)

Sales.	STOCKS.	High.	Low.	Close.
300	American Bicycle	6¾	6¾	6¾
100	American Express	250	250	250
3600	American G. Twine	62	61⅝	62
1100	Am. Linseed Oil pf	240	240	240
1900	Chicago Term. Tran.	24	23⅞	23⅞
4800	Do preferred	42⅝	41¼	41⅝
500	Chicago Ult. Trac.	17	16⅝	16⅞
700	Corn Products	52¼	51⅝	52¼
400	Do preferred	84	83⅞	84
45000	D. & R. G.	50	45⅝	49⅞
16700	Do preferred	95⅛	93⅝	95⅛
7400	Det. South. Ry.	23⅞	22	23⅞
1700	Do preferred	42⅞	42⅜	42⅞
2300	District of America	4¼	4⅛	4¼
200	Do preferred	33⅝	32	33½
2700	D. S. S. & A.	19¼	18⅜	19¼
15900	E. & T. H.	66⅜	63¼	66⅛
700	Do preferred	92	92	92
400	Fed. Sug. G.	60	60	60
1700	Great North. pfd	197¼	195	197¼
900	International Silver	19	17	18⅝
600	Do preferred	65	61	65
10000	K. C. Southern	37⅝	36⅛	36⅞
2000	Do preferred	69⅝	69⅜	69⅝
4400	Mexican Central	29⅜	29⅜	29⅞
5600	Nat. R. R. of M.	19¼	19	19¼
100	N. Y. Airbrake	188½	188½	188½
100	Rubber Goods	20½	20¼	20⅝
2500	St. J. & G. I.	23⅞	23	23
100	Sloss preferred	84½	84½	84½
1900	Twin City	127⅜	126⅝	127⅝
100	U. S. R. & F. pfd	80	80	80
300	U. S. C. I.	12	11⅞	12
500	U. S. Express	137	135¼	137
500	U. S. R. & Ref.	34	32	33¾
300	W. U. Mfg.	219	219	219
1000	Silver Bull, offs	52¾	52¾	52¾

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 20.—The closing bids were as follows:

Penna. R. R.	80	Indianapolis	78
Phila. Traction	99¾	Tidewater Steel	5½
Union Traction	39¾	Cumbria Steel	28
Elec. & P. 4s	99¾	Elec. Stor. Am.	8¾
Con. Trac. N. J.	69½	American Rys.	50
Con. Lake Sup.	27⅝	Alkali	38
Storage	7	Asphalt, pfd.	95
Do preferred	87	Pgh. Coal	49¾
Marsden	4¾	Lehigh Valley	74½
Phila. Electric	6¼	Sup. pfd.	76¾
U. Gas Improve.	111	Powder	10½

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, Aug. 20.—Electric stocks closed:

Mass. Electric	40¼	Gen. Electric	184
Do pfd	97		

GERMANY HAS BIG DEFICIT.

Financial Depression Causes Heavy Shrinkage in Stamp Tax Receipts.

BERLIN, Aug. 20.—The final figures of the imperial treasury operations for the year ending March 31 show a deficit from the budget estimates of $12,125,0000, due to a shrinkage of the receipts amounting to about $6,750,000 and increased expenditures totaling $5,250,000.

The increased receipts from some items were swallowed up by $7,000,000 falling off in the stamp taxes, nearly all of which was from diminishing Boerse transactions, traceable to the general financial depression. The deficit will be met out of the winter's loan and the shortage since March 31 will be covered by short term treasury bills which will be discounted by the reichsbank.

Morgan's Return Stimulated Market

MORGAN HOME; NEW LIFE GIVEN TO WALL STREET

Market Broader and More Active With Uneven Strength.

MONEY IS AGAIN EASIER

The Ruling Rate of Four Per Cent for Call Loans Facilitated Trading. Railroad Stocks Strengthened by Various Rumors—Closing Active.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Aug. 20.—Today's market was broader and more active than that of yesterday and was generally strong, but the strength was very unevenly divided and was not consistently maintained. The hand of the professional was quite manifest in the market. After one group of stocks had been pushed up to a certain extent they would meet selling orders to realize in the moment that aggressive appearance of strength was developing in some new quarter, thus encouraging continued buying by outside speculators in the stocks already advanced and thus facilitating the realizing.

It was distinctly a Morgan market. That is to say, the buying of stocks was based upon the assumption that Mr. Morgan has returned to Wall street ready to take up the broken continuity of many important projects which he had under way when he left for his vacation.

Some of those projects have got into a snarl, legal, financial or speculative. Professional speculators in the street have an abiding faith that Mr. Morgan will promptly settle them all. His immediate appearance at his office, going directly there from the steamship, gave additional strength to this conviction that he would give immediate attention to pressing problems.

Some Absurd Expectations.

It is needless to say, however, that some of the expectations expressed by the active speculators in the market as to the scope and the promptitude of Mr. Morgan's measures reached a degree of absurdity. The undeniably strengthening effect upon confidence of this capitalist's return to active direction of affairs was promptly taken advantage of by various speculative pools to make demonstrations in their favorite stocks by rapidly advancing prices.

A distinctly easier tone to the money market facilitated the operation for the advance. The ruling rate for call loans was 4 per cent, as against 4¾ per cent yesterday, and the market for time loans was also called easier. The foreign exchange market naturally hardened in consequence. Continued selling of stocks for London account was also a factor in the demand for exchange. The interior demand for funds seems still to be delayed and bankers report that outside lenders were placing their ready funds on call in today's stock market.

Helped Money Market.

Owing to the large pension payments and the decline from the recent high level of government customs receipts, the subtreasury has contributed over $800,000 to the money market this week. Today that institution paid out $850,000 on account of gold deposited at Pacific coast points, which is presumably Klondyke gold. The treasury statement from Washington, however, shows a surplus of revenue for the day of $1,593,469, which cuts down the month's deficit about three-quarters.

Unfavorable crop weather, the futility of the coal conference to effect a strike settlement and the violent break in Colorado Fuel on account of the internal conflict in the company were ignored in the trading. The special strength of some Colorado railroad stocks was supposed to be connected with the liquidation of Colorado Fuel. Recent rumors of a merger of southern railroads, of Canadian Pacific's alleged intention to secure an entrance to Chicago and of a prospective absorption by large railroad systems of sundry small systems were all manifest influences in the market. Profit-taking was general during the last hour and the closing was active and irregular.

Bonds were generally firm. Total sales, par value, $2,500,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. r. 2s reg.	107½	L. & N. uni. 4s	101¾
Do r. 2s coup.	117⅝	*Mex. Cen. 4s	82⅝
Do 3s reg.	105⅞	Do 1st inc.	31½
Do 3s coup.	105⅞	*M. & S. T. L. 4s	100
Do 4s reg.	132½	M., K. & T. 4s	100
Do 4s coup.	132½	M., K. & T. 2d 4s	84½
Do O. 4s reg.	108¼	*N. Y. C. 1sts	101½
Do O. 4s coup.	108¼	Do gen. 3½s	107
Do 5s reg.	104¾	*N. O. & T. 6s	120
Do 5s coup.	104¾	North. Pacific 4s	104¼
Atchison g. 4s	103¾	Do 3s	74¾
* Do adj. 4s	90½	*N. J. C. 6s	130½
B. & O. 6s	116¾	Penn. cv. 3½s	97⅝
Do 3½s	95	*St. L. & I.M.c.5s	117
* Do conv. 4s	112	*St. L. & S. F. 4s	95½
†Can. South. 2ds	110½	St. L. & S.W. 1sts	99½
Cen. of Ga. 5s	115	Do 2ds	90½
Do 1st inc.	79½	S. A. & A. P. 4s	88½
Ches. & O. 4½s	108½	South. P. 4s	94¼
C. & Alton 3½s	82	South. Ry. 5s	120¾
C., B. & Q. 4s	105¾	Tex. & P. 1sts	114
*C. M. & S. P. g. 4s	113	P., St. L. & W. 4s	84
*C. & N. C. 7s	134	Union Pacific 4s	105
C., R. I. & P. 4s	102	Do conv. 4s	100½
C., C., C. & St. L. 4s	102	*Wabash 1sts	119
Chic. Ter. 4s	90	Do 2ds	109
Col. & South. 4s	84¾	Do Deb. B	77⅞
L. & N. G. 4s	102½	West Shore 4s	114⅜
Erie gen. 4s	85½	W. & L. E. 4s	85¾
*F. W. & D. C. 1st	114	W. Cen. 4s	93
*H. Val. 4½s	109	Con. Tob. 4s	64½

*Bid. †Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on curb active stocks traded in on the curb, or outside the New York stock exchange:

American Can	11⅜	Internat. Salt	9⅛
Do preferred	52⅛	N. Amster. G. 8s	113½
Am. Hide & L.	4⅜	North'n Securities	106⅝
Do preferred	40½	N. Y. E. V. Tr.	11⅜
Am. Elec. F. R.	1⅜	Otis Elevator	44⅛
Bay State Gas	1⅜	Do preferred	101⅝
B. C. Copper	6	R. R. Dis. pref.	105
Brooklyn F. C.	16	Seaboard A. L.	33⅝
Electric Boat Co.	20	Do preferred	53⅞
Do preferred	30	Standard Oil	697
Elec. Vehicle	5	Tenn. Copper	18⅛
Do preferred	15½	Union Copper	3⅜
Man. Trans.	85	United Copper	33
Greene Con. Cop.	27¼	White Knob Cop.	21⅛

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade:

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
10200	Atch. T. & S. F.	92⅝	93½	92⅜	92⅜
2700	Do preferred	102⅝	102⅞	102⅝	102½
	Am. Cotton Oil	50⅜	50½	50⅜	50¼
	Do preferred				95
4900	Am. Sugar Ref'g.	132½	132⅞	132	132⅝
2200	Am. Locomotive	32⅝	32⅝	32½	32½
400	Do preferred	93¾	94	93⅝	90¾
4900	Am. Car Found.	54⅝	54⅝	54⅛	54⅛
100	Do preferred	96	96	96	82
2900	Amal. Copper	96	96⅜	95¾	96
	Anaconda C. M.				102
300	Am. Smelt. & R.	46⅝	47	46¾	46⅝
400	Am. Smelt. & R. pref.	97½	97½	97½	97
	American Ice	13⅛	13⅞	13	13
	Do preferred	44¾	44¾	43¾	43¾
5400	Baltimore & O.	110	110¾	109¾	109¾
100	Do preferred	96	96	96	84½
1900	Brook. R. Tran.	67⅛	67¾	67	66¾
21400	Canadian Pacific	138½	140⅝	138	139¾
10300	Chicago & G. W.	25	25	24½	24⅞
800	Cons. Gas	222⅝	223¼	222⅞	222⅝
700	C. C. C. & St. L.	105⅝	105⅞	105⅜	105⅞
2500	Chesapeake & O.	54⅜	54⅜	54¼	54¼
5200	Chicago & Alton	43¾	43¾	43½	43½
200	Do preferred	76½	76⅝	76⅛	76
	Chicago, I. & L.				74
1800	Chicago & N. W.	240	243½	240	242½
29000	Chicago Gt. W.	25	25	24½	24⅞
7400	Colorado Southern	24⅜	25	24⅜	24⅜
100	Do 1st pfd	78½	78½	78½	78⅜
6900	Do 2d pfd	52⅜	53¾	52⅜	52½
500	Delaware & H.	170½	171½	170½	170
39600	Erie	39⅞	40⅝	39⅝	40
5100	Do 1st pfd	69⅝	69⅞	69	69¼
1800	Do 2d pfd	54⅝	54⅝	54¼	54¼
2500	Gen. Electric	183⅝	184	183⅛	184
5400	Illinois Central	169¾	169⅞	169	168⅝
5800	Iowa Central	50¼	51⅜	50¼	50⅝
1200	Do preferred	88	88⅝	88	88
600	Int. Paper	21	21½	21	21¼
	Do preferred				74½
	Lake Erie & W.				64
	Do preferred				126
27000	Louis. & Nash.	159	159½	157⅝	157⅝
1000	Manhattan	135⅝	135⅝	135¼	135
11900	Missouri Pacific	117⅝	118¾	117	117¾
8000	M. K. & T. pfd	64⅝	65	64⅜	64½
900	Metropolitan	148	148	147½	147½
5300	Mexican Cent.	29⅝	29⅝	29⅜	29⅜
1700	National Lead	25¾	25¾	25⅝	25⅝
	Do preferred				92
100	National Biscuit	48	48	48	47¾
	Do preferred				103¾
2000	N. Y. Central	163⅜	164⅜	163⅜	163⅝
9100	N. Y., O. & W.	34½	35⅛	34⅜	34½
4800	Norfolk & West.	70½	70⅞	70½	70⅝
	Do pfd				93
200	N. Amer. Co.	124½	124⅝	123½	122¼
	Omaha				100
1700	Pacific M. & C. C.	104¾	105	104¾	104⅝
2100	Pacific Mail	44¾	44⅞	44⅜	44⅜
8200	Pressed Steel Car	49	51	49	50¾
900	Do pfd	86½	87⅜	86½	86⅞
6800	Penn. R. R.	160	160⅜	159⅜	160⅛
	P., C., C. & St. L.	97	97⅛	97	96½
	Railway Springs.	32	32	32	31⅞
	Do pfd				88
10500	Reading	67⅛	67⅞	66⅞	67¼
800	Do 1st pfd	86⅞	86⅞	86⅞	86⅞
5600	Do 2d pfd	73	73½	73	73¼
1300	Rock Island	183	183	183	182
12300	Republic Iron	19¾	20¾	19¾	20¼
2500	Do pfd	76⅞	77⅜	76⅞	77⅜
800	St. L. & S. F.	80⅝	81	80⅝	80⅝
	Do 1st pfd				86
4200	Do 2d pfd	77¾	77¾	77½	77½
42200	Southern Pacific	73⅝	74¼	73⅛	73⅝
33300	South. Railway	40⅝	41¼	40⅝	41¼
1800	Do pfd	98	98¾	97⅞	98
7200	Sloss-Sheffield	188	188½	186	186½
3800	St. L. & S. W.	38½	38⅝	38	38⅜
5300	Do pfd	78¾	78½	78½	77⅞
22500	T. C. & I.	69	70	68¾	69¼
11500	Texas Pacific	51½	51⅝	51⅛	51⅜
4500	T., St. L. & S. W.	30	31	28½	30¼
3000	Do pfd	46⅝	46⅞	46	46⅜
51800	U. S. Steel	40¾	41¼	40⅞	41¼
7100	Do pfd	90¾	91⅜	90¾	91⅛
20000	Union Pacific	109¾	110¾	108⅞	109
2800	Do pfd	92¾	93	92¼	92¼
200	U. S. Rubber	16½	16⅝	16¼	15
1000	Do 1st pfd	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	13¾
200	Do pfd	87	87	86⅞	86⅞
9200	Wabash	32⅜	33⅜	32⅜	33¼
11500	Do pfd	48¾	49	48¾	48⅝
22600	W. U. Telegraph	93	93½	92¾	92¾
1800	W. & L. E.	24½	25	24½	24⅞
	Do 1st pfd				63
1900	Do 2d pfd	38⅝	38⅞	38½	38⅞
18400	Wheeling	50⅜	51	50⅜	50⅝
12100	Do pfd	56⅜	56⅝	54⅜	55
	U. S. C. I. P.	11⅞	12	11⅞	11½
	Do pfd				45½
	Kan. & Mich.	50	50	50	45½
	Corn Products	31⅝	32¼	31⅝	32
	Do pfd	84	84	83⅞	83⅝
300	Block Valley	101⅛	101⅛	101½	101¼
100	Do pfd	94¾	94¾	94¾	94

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Aug. 20. Closing prices:

Atchison	92⅝	Am. Sugar	131¾
Do pfd	102⅝	Do pfd	120½
Bos. & Albany	262	Am. T. & T.	171½
Bos. & Maine	200½	Dom. I. & S.	76⅜
Fitchburg pfd	144	U. S. Cast.	679
N. Y. N. H. & H.	232	United Fruit	113
Fitchburg pfd	144	U. S. Steel	41¼
Union Pacific	108⅛	Do pfd	90¼
Mex. Central	29¼		

Talked About in Wall Street

[BY LEASED WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The Herald this (Thursday) morning says:

So far as the stock market was concerned, Mr. Morgan received a glorious home-coming yesterday. The manner in which the traders, big and little, the syndicates, the pools and the cliques went to work to push up prices was, indeed, a remarkable tribute to the most conspicuous broker in the world, and it is more remarkable that the whole movement was accomplished without new development, and merely upon the physical presence in Wall street of the leader of the construction party. Rumor there was in plenty, and plenty of froth and surface demonstration, but no news.

The sharp advance in Western Union was explained on the score of the short interest existing in the stock. The stock was aggressively bought by interests identified with the control of the company, who were reported as calling the stock. Western Union loaned at 1-32 per cent premium for use at the close of the day. The pool which has been alternately bullish and bearish on the property was reported as somewhat disconcerted by the trend of events. Nothing in the way of news developed in connection with the property, and the movement was regarded as a stock market coup.

Aside from Mr. Morgan's home-coming, the money market presented the chief interest of the day. Time and call money was a trifle easier, but quotation rates were not greatly changed. There was a strange confusion in the money market, however, for though both the time and call rate was depressed in part by western loaning, a number of banks reported shipments of currency to the interior, and late in the day a telegraphic transfer of $100,000 was made through the subtreasury to Cincinnati.

Canadian Pacific participated in the morning upward movement mainly on crop advices and Canadian buying. It is said that the crop conditions in the Canadian northwest are excellent and that the danger from frost will be over by the 24th of the present month. The critical time arrives about that time and as there has been no damage sustained President Shaughnessy denied the statement that his road was trying to acquire Wisconsin Central.

ASKED TO BE LOCKED UP

Pittsburgher Told Buffalo Policeman He Wanted to Kill Himself. Robbed at Niagara.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 20.—(Special.)—William Jones, who says his home is in Pittsburgh, walked up to Patrolman Baker of the Second precinct last night and told the copper to lock him up or he would commit suicide.

Baker needed no second invitation. He took Jones to No. 2 station. Jones told the sergeant that he spent yesterday at Niagara Falls. He visited several saloons. In one he says he was drugged and robbed of a gold watch, a valuable diamond ring and $80.

How he got back to Buffalo, Jones failed to remember. The police of Niagara Falls were notified and are investigating the robbery.

Jones was arraigned this morning on a charge of intoxication. He told his story to the justice and sentence was suspended. Jones said he was broke and Justice Rochford ordered the police to give him a breakfast. Jones is a railroad fireman and is here spending his vacation.

Wheat, Corn and Oats Higher

GRAIN MARKET MADE ACTIVE BY RAINY WEATHER

Wheat Was Strengthened by Advance in Coarse Products.

SOME FEAR OF FROSTS

Corn Had Spurts on Backwardness of Maturing Crops—Oats Were Affected by Country Storm Damage Reports and Ruled Strongest.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Aug. 20.—Coarse grains were strong today. Rainy weather was still a factor. Oats were affected by country damage reports and ruled strongest. Corn had spurts of activity on the backwardness of the maturing crop and the possibility that it might get frosted. Wheat was helped by these factors and at the close September wheat was ⅝@¾c up, September corn ⅞@1c higher and September oats ¾c higher. September provisions closed 7½@ to 22½@ up.

Wheat gained much of its strength from the coarse grains. There was considerable changing going on, and this constituted the bulk of the trade. At the opening there was a good advance on the grains, firm cables and damage to wheat in the shock. There was much fear among the September shorts over the congestion in that month and the improbability of relief through contract receipts.

Had a Late Rally.

Today no contract stuff came in with the 303 cars received. The showery conditions northwest gave rise to fears that the growing crop in that section may be dangerously retarded. After the early rush of buying orders trade was very dull for several hours, but a good rally set in late on a fair cash demand and 15 loads accepted at the seaboard.

September opened ⅝c up to unchanged at 70¼c to 70⅝c, dipped to 69⅝c and reacted to 70⅝c, closing strong, ⅝@¾c up at 70⅜@70¾c. Minneapolis and Duluth received 192 cars, making a total of 495 cars for the three northeastern point, against 396 last week and 556 a year ago. Primary receipts were 1,090,000 bushels against 1,216,000 bushels last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 308,000 bushels.

Corn receipts were only 13 cars, 3 of contract grade. Cables were higher and the wet weather badly retarded growth. The Washington crop bulletin, while not alarming, was enough to make the trade fear frost. It was officially stated that the corn is yet very green, and that much of it will not mature until well along in September, and possibly in October.

Shorts Were Frightened.

Stocks were so depleted that shorts were frightened again. There was no special feature aside from the lack of pressure. Trade was not active, but the market did not weaken. September sold from 52¼c to a strong close, ⅞@1c up at 52⅜c.

Bad reports from the oats fields caused good buying in oats. Commission houses had big orders and local shorts were eager to cover. The market ruled strong on the floor at times, and held most of its strength. The cash demand was good and at no time was there a desire to sell. September sold from 32⅜@32¾c to 33⅜c and closed strong, ¾c up at 33⅜c. Receipts were 133 cars.

Provisions were strong and higher, but were inclined toward dullness. There was a fair general demand and no selling pressure. Liquidation for profits went on at times. Hogs were higher and helped in the advance. September pork closed 22½c up at $16 25, September lard 7½c up at $10 57½, and September ribs 22½c higher at $9 90.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 300 cars; corn, 40 cars; oats, 225 cars; hogs, 27,000 head.

The leading features corrected by John D. Armstrong & Co., members Chicago board of trade, 209 Sixth street, are as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2 Sept.	70⅜	70⅞	69⅞	70⅞	70¼
Dec.	67⅜	67½	67	67½	67
May	69⅝	69⅝	69¼	69½	68¾
CORN No. 2					
Sept.	52⅝	52⅞	52¼	52⅝	52
Dec.	41⅝	41⅞	41¼	41⅝	41¼
May	39⅝	39⅝	39½	39⅝	39⅜
OATS No. 2					
Sept.	27¼	27⅞	27	27¼	26⅝
Sept.	33¼	33⅝	32¾	33⅜	32⅝
Dec.	29⅜	30⅛	29⅝	30⅛	29½
May	30¼	30⅝	30	30½	30
MESS PORK					
Sept.	16 07½	16 25	16 07½	16 25	16 02½
Oct.	16 15	16 40	16 15	16 40	16 12½
Jan.	14 42½	14 52½	14 40	14 50	14 42½
LARD					
Sept.	10 42½	10 60	10 42½	10 57½	10 45
Oct.	10 42½	10 57½	10 42½	10 57½	10 45
Jan.	8 35	8 57½	8 35	8 55	8 32½
SHORT RIBS					
Sept.	9 70	9 90	9 70	9 90	9 67½
Oct.	9 22½	9 42½	9 22½	9 42½	9 15
Jan.	7 55	7 57½	7 55	7 57½	7 52½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 72@73c; No. 3, 70c; No. 2 red, 69¾@70¾c; No. 2 corn, 56c; No. 2 yellow, 60¼@61c; No. 3 white, 34@35½c; No. 2 rye, 50¾@51c; fair to choice malting, 50@62c; No. 1 flax seed, $1 39; No. 1 northwestern, $1 45; prime timothy seed, $5 00; mess pork, per bbl., $16 15@16 20; lard, per 100 lbs, $10 45@10 47½; short ribs sides (loose), $9 70@9 80; dry salted shoulders (obexd), $8 75@8 87½; short clear sides (boxed), $10 50@10 62½; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 31; clover, contract grade, $9 00.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	35,000	17,000
Wheat, bushels	395,000	167,000
Corn, bushels	1,592,000	293,000
Oats, bushels	446,000	254,000
Rye, bushels	28,000	32,000
Barley, bushels	30,000	3,000

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Flour—Receipts, 22,294 barrels; exports, 5,988 barrels; sales, 11,500 packages; steadier and more active, with limits raised on spring patents; Minnesota patents, $3 80@4 00. Rye flour steady. Corn meal, steady. Rye easy; No. 2 western, 59c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2, 57@58c; track state, 56½@57c c. i. f. New York. Barley dull.

Grain—Receipts, 77,125 bushels; spot; firm; No. 2 red, 75¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 70⅞@77¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 82¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 80¾c f. o. b. afloat; trade in wheat was fairly active all day and at generally higher prices, led by September, which was wanted by shorts; higher cables, smaller interior receipts, the strength of outside markets, foreign buying and poor grading of wheat were among the bull influences; the close was firm at ⅛@⅜c net advance; May, 74 7-16@74 11-16c, closed 74⅜c; September, 71 7-16@74⅛c; closed 74¼c; December, 72 9-16@72⅝c; closed 72¾c. Corn—Receipts, none; exports, 384 bushels; spot firm; No. 2, 65c elevator and 64½c f. o. b. to arrive; option market advanced at the opening on higher cables, small receipts and showers west; it then reacted under profit-taking, but finally recovered with wheat and on a scare of September shorts, later closing 1⅜c net higher against slight advances west on wire; May, 44¼@44⅝c; closed 44¼c; September, 58⅞@60¼c; closed

Local Stocks Were More Active and the Market Quite Firm

SELLING WAS LARGELY IN TWO STOCKS

The Philadelphia Co. Common Led the Transactions With 1,225 Shares.

PITTSBURGH COAL FIRM

Window Glass Was Dull, but Steady. U. S. Glass Common Advanced. Steel Issues Quiet, but Firmer. Westinghouse Issues Were Steady.

The volume of business transacted at yesterday's session of the Pittsburgh stock exchange was considerably larger than that of the preceding day, but the market itself was quite dull and somewhat irregular, though the tone at the close was steady to firm. The feature of the business was again Philadelphia Company common, which sold over 1,200 shares at 49¾, a decline of ¼ for the day. The buying and selling shifted from the houses which have recently been prominent in the stock, but was principally confined to two firms. It is thought that the buying was for eastern accounts, where it is estimated Pittsburghers have sold between 8,000 and 10,000 shares during the last week. It is believed that some of the selling is liquidation by members of a pool which took on a great deal of the stock when the traction lines were taken in to prevent it from being thrown on the market. The preferred stock was not dealt in. In the remaining issues that were traded in the heaviest business was in Pittsburgh Coal common, which was quite firm and closed with a gain of ⅝ at 28⅝ on sales of 750 shares. The preferred was quieter, but ½ higher at 90¾. River Coal issues were very dull and unchanged, the only sale being 100 of the preferred at 40⅜. The glass stocks were also dull, but quite steady. The only trade in Window Glass common was 100 shares at 62¾, a gain of ¼. The preferred sold almost 200 shares and advanced from 91 to 95, a gain of ¾ for the day. Almost 200 shares of United States Glass common were dealt in, the price advancing from 37 to 37½, a gain of ½ and the highest price paid for the stock in three or four years. The steel issues were generally steady to firm at the close. Crucible common advanced from 22 at the opening to 22¼ sales and bid, but the preferred was ¼ lower at 86½. United States Steel common was firmer than it has been in some time, and closed with a gain of ⅜ at 41¼, sales having been a little over 300 shares. The preferred gained ½ at 90¼ for 50 shares. The feeling in the east on these stocks is getting more bullish, and the tip is out there that they are to be considerably marked up. There was some little trading in the Westinghouse group, but nothing of a sensational nature. Electric seconds sold a little over 100 shares and closed with a gain of ¼ at 110. The firsts were not dealt in. Airbrake was quiet at 185½ for 25 shares, the price being unchanged. Later the stock offered regularly at 186 without bids. There have been no new developments in regard to the reported deal for the control of the New York Airbrake Company, but President Westinghouse's early arrival in New York is expected to elicit the details of the plan. Union Switch and Signal common was firmer and two small lots sold at 93@94, a gain of $1 a share, and the top price was bid for more without offers. There was no trading in the banking group, which was firm. Traders and Mechanics' bank advanced to 70 bid, with offers at 72. A rumor that this institution may be absorbed by the Diamond National bank was pronounced by President Rankin of the Traders' to be absolutely false, he saying that there was no deal of any kind under discussion for the sale of their bank. Federal National was firmer and higher at 140 bid and Real Estate Trust advanced to 285 bid. There was a sale of 200 shares of Ft. Pitt Natural Gas at 56, a gain of 1¼, and a similar block of Manufacturers' Light and Heat was taken by an insider at 78, the last price, and he wanted more at that figure. Fireproofing issues were dull, but steady to firm at fractional gains. One sale of Pressed Steel Car common occurred at 50, an advance of 2½ over the last price. There was no trading in Allegheny Valley preferred, but it offered at 84½ without bids. Bonds were very dull.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Bank exchanges gained $220,179 84.

Sales Pittsburgh stock exchange, 4,229 shares and $3,000 bonds.

Over 1,200 Philadelphia Company common sold at 49¾.

Westinghouse Electric seconds advanced to 110. Airbrake sold at 185½.

Window Glass common gained ¼ at 62¾. The preferred closed at 95.

U. S. Glass common advanced ½ to 37½, the highest price in years.

Crucible Steel closed at 22¼ and the preferred at 86½.

U. S. Steel advanced to 41¼ and the preferred to 90¾.

Manufacturers Light and Heat was unchanged at 78.

Pittsburgh Coal advanced to 28⅝ and the preferred to 90¾.

Pressed Steel Car common was 2½ higher at 50.

Union Switch & Signal common advanced $1 to 94.

FINANCIAL DRIFT.

Wettengel bought Westinghouse Airbrake at 185¾.

Walker bid 112 for $50,000 Pittsburgh Brewing 6s.

Robinson Bros. were buyers of U. S. Steel common.

R. A. Hill wanted to buy Colonial Trust and Real Estate Trust.

The first sale of the day was 5 Crucible Steel preferred at 86¾. Then 100 sold at 86⅝.

Robinson Bros., Sproul & Co. and Morris, Brown & Co. were sellers of Crucible Steel preferred.

N. W. Stevenson sold a block of Ft. Pitt Gas at 56 to Marlin. The price is an advance of 1¼.

McFarlane bought all the U. S. Glass common that offered, the price advancing to 37½, the highest in years.

There is talk of mandamus proceedings to compel the payment of 5 per cent on Georgia Central first incomes.

The last sale of the day was 50 Pittsburgh Coal preferred, which Robinson Bros. sold to Sproul & Co. at 90⅝.

R. C. Hall bought 200 Manufacturers Light and Heat from Morris, Brown & Co. at 78 and bid that price for more.

The Mortgage Banking Company stockholders yesterday voted to increase the capital stock from $250,000 to $350,000.

Shortly after the opening Hill & Co. bought a block of 500 Pittsburgh Coal common from Marlin at 28¼. Later they sold 200 at 28⅝ to Speer & Co.

The borough council of Homestead awarded C. E. Williams & Co. $164,000 of 4 per cent long time tax free bonds, issued for various public improvements.

Preston, Watt & Schoyer bought 50 Union Switch and Signal common near the close at 93 from Hill & Co., and immediately sold the lot to Marlin at 94.

September 3 Messrs. Robinson Bros. will occupy the banking house formerly the home of the Citizens National bank, at the corner of Diamond and Wood streets.

The British Welsbach Incandescent Gas Light Company reports net profits for the year of $120,000, which exceeds by half a dozen of over $500,000 shown by the American company.

Miller sold Window Glass common at 62¾, Crawford & Eberhardt were principals in a sale of Philadelphia Company common, disposing of 1,200 shares at 49¾. Hill & Co. got 600 and Robinson Bros. 500.

A movement was on foot in New York to close all stock exchanges August 30, Labor Day. The cotton exchange managers have made it a holiday, and a resolution requesting it has been offered in the Boston and Philadelphia exchanges. The coffee exchange is also considering.

Brooklyn Rapid Transit earnings this month increased over $1,500 per day over the same period last year. The second half of the month promises to be even better, while the expenses of the month will be more than $100,000 less than those of last August. President Greatsinger when asked whether, at the present rate of increase in earnings, he would properly comfortably begin the distribution of dividends within two years, replied that it might be in less time.

A Wall street broker wired: I have just talked with a high authority in regard to money and exchange. He says that money will not be quite as high as many people believe, although the banks will have pretty stiff rates from now on over the first of January. He says a great deal of the decrease in reserve is caused by manipulation by the banks in order to get only a goodly supply of time money. I think there is something in this.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Glass company was held at the general offices of the company on the South Side. There were no changes in the board of directors, the members being re-elected, as follows: Daniel C. Ripley, William C. King, Marion G. Bryce, Albert L. Brahm, John S. Craig, H. D. W. English, W. J. Craig, Jr., William M. Anderson and C. F. Shaefer. The report for the year showed profits of over $105,000, or 7 per cent on the stock, exclusive of the Glassport Land Company.

C. G. Gates issued the following relative to the break in Colorado Fuel and Iron: "The break in Fuel, this morning has undoubtedly cleared the sheets of weak holders. People have read the fairy newspaper headings about Gates' Waterloo, etc., and have come to the conclusion we are licked in this deal. But we have only started. I think the worst is over. Shortly after the opening Hill & Co. bought for some time to come, as I do not see how anything can happen now except for the better."

A bulletin issued by a New York news bureau yesterday said: "We hear from a reliable source in Pittsburg that one company, since President Hoffstot returned from Europe, has booked a very large amount of work, said to amount to over $20,000,000. Among the firms composing this business, said to be 15,000 cars for the Pennsylvania system, 12,000 cars for new equipment and 3,000 for what is known as 'vacant numbers.' From the same source we learn that the Pressed Steel Car company has been very much contracted for machinery, and is now erecting buildings which will very largely increase its capacity, and put it in position to take care not only of its present large business, but additional business which is coming to it. We know that such large railroads are not only ordering their new equipment of steel, but are replacing the vacant numbers in their old equipment with steel cars, and that the Pressed Steel Car company is now building a large number of wooden cars with steel cars, just as steel bridges replaced the iron bridges, and steel rails the iron rails." When shown the above statement of the Pressed Steel Car company, who stated that it was against the policy of the company to talk about the business they had on hand, admitted that they were rushed with orders, and that July had been the greatest tus far, he was of the opinion that August would exceed it. He also stated that the foundation was being put in this week for the immediate erection of a third plant, to make a new and large addition to this plant. He further stated that one building alone would be over 600 feet long. He declined to affirm or deny the statement in reference to what amount of business they had on hand.

Last Monday an anonymous communication was sent to the financial editor of The Gazette stating that J. B. Lee, an employe of the Allegheny National bank, was willing to sell a block of 500 shares of Mt. Royal Cemetery stock at $57 a share. Efforts made then to confirm the sale were unsuccessful and the transaction accordingly was not given the evidently desired publicity. As a matter of fact, the sale did not take place. The curious part of the business is that the Equitable Trust Company bought 500 shares at $60 a share in Others It at that price, refusing to take less. For some weeks the stock has been quoted on the Pittsburgh stock exchange by several responsible firms, starting with Robinson Bros. and Morris, Brown & Co. and A. E. Masten & Co. and Robert C. Hall. N. Holmes & Sons made the initial quotation some two or three months ago by offering 50 for 50 shares. They offered at 60, then the other firms came into the market and offered the stock down steadily to 45, without eliciting a bid, or so far as known, without a sale occurring. Yesterday Robert C. Hall offered 50 or 60 shares and A. E. Masten & Co. offered 50 at the same price. The deal in which Mr. Lee is alleged to have been the purchaser of 500 shares at 57 seems to have caused a great deal of consternation in the minds of some people. Mr. Lee said yesterday that he had purchased the stock from N. Holmes & Son, but that they had notified him that they could not deliver it. N. Holmes & Son stated yesterday that Mr. Lee had made them a bid of 54 for a block of 500 shares of the stock, but they had told him they could not sell it under 60, though they would see what they could do. Mr. Lee had made them a bid of 54 for a block of 500 shares of the stock, but they had told him they could not sell it under 60, though they would see what they could do. Mr. Lee's proposition. The principal refused and they notified Mr. Lee that they could not sell him the stock under 60. The impression prevails in some quarters that an effort has been made to depress the market value of the stock because of the fact that the Equitable Trust Company was offering it at $60 a share. The officials of the Mt. Royal Cemetery Company do not understand how it can be offered so low and do not attempt any explanation. Without going into the merits of the stock one way or the other, the offers of the Pittsburgh Steel Company, which has firms making them are prepared to make the deliveries to any purchaser. There have been a few instances in the past where securities have been offered at a low figure, but below the price, and not in good faith, but these are rare and the case under discussion is evidently not one of them.

Unrecorded Quotations.

South Side Trust offered at 111.

Mt. Royal Cemetery offered at 45.

United Realty Trust Company offered at 12¾.

Colonial Trust was quoted at 393 and 395 asked.

Marlin bid 113½ and interest for long term United States Steel 5s.

Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company was offered at 235.

Cosmopolitan National bank was quoted at 108¾ bid. It offered at 109.

For $10,000 Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company debenture 5s 104 was bid.

Dividends.

The Consolidated Mercury Gold Mines Company of Boston has declared a regular monthly dividend of 2 cents a share, payable September 6. Transfer books close August 26, and reopen September 10.

PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.
- 6 Crucible Stl. pfd. 86⅜
- 100 Crucible Stl. pfd. 86½
- 25 Crucible Stl. pfd. 86⅝
- 50 U. S. Steel com.... 41
- 500 Pgh. Coal com.... 28⅝
- 25 Pgh. Coal com.... 28½
- 25 U. S. Steel com.... 41
- 50 U. S. Steel com.... 41
- 100 U. S. Steel com.... 41
- 50 U. S. Steel com.... 41
- 10 A. W. Glass pfd.. 94
- 10 A. W. Glass pfd.. 94
- 10 A. W. Glass pfd.. 94
- 10 A. W. Glass pfd.. 94½

10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
- 20 A. W. Glass pfd.. 95
- 50 A. W. Glass pfd.. 95
- 25 A. W. Glass pfd.. 95
- 800 Phila. Co. com.... 49⅜
- 200 Phila. Co. com.... 49⅜
- 200 Phila. Co. com.... 49¾
- 100 Phila. Co. com.... 49¾
- 25 Phila. Co. com.... 49¾
- 50 U. S. Steel com.... 41
- 25 Crucible Stl. pfd. 86⅜
- 25 Crucible Stl. pfd. 86⅝
- 20 N. F. Prod com. 31½
- 10 N. F. Proof com. 31½
- 100 A. W. Glass com. 62¾
- 25 West. Airbrake....185½
- 25 Pgh. Brew. pfd.... 88½
- 150 Crucible Stl. com. 22
- 100 Crucible Stl. com. 22¼
- 20 M. R. Coal pfd.... 40⅜
- 200 Ft. Pitt Gas..... 56
- 50 Pgh. Coal com.... 28⅝
- 50 U. S. Steel com.... 41

12:30 p. m. to 2 p. m. $2,000 M. L. & P. 8s.... 107

The total public sales were 4,229 shares of stock and $2,000 bonds; total preceding Wednesday, 6,596 shares of stock and $44.90 scrip; total same day last year, 2,259 shares of stock and $3,000 bonds.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
ST'KS.			A. Trust	120	126	W. 26...	109¾	110	Co.	.....	148
P. Bks.			Insur.			Miscel.			P. Com.	49½	49⅞
C. Dep.	175	220	Allem'a	61¼	65	A. W.			Do pfd	48¾	.....
Ex. Nat.	.....	166	Derman	70	80	G.	62¼	62¾	Do pfd	.....	.....
F. D. N.	.....	1,225	Nat. G.			Do pfd	94⅝	.....	pfd. G.	86	.....
F. Nat.	615	650	F. P. G.	55¾	.....	C. L. C.	13¾	14½	U. S. C.	.....	45
Ju. Nat.	140	.....	N. G. of			Do pfd	.....	89½	U. S. &		
M. Nat.	265	270	Do pfd	118	.....	Do pfd	22¼	23½	S. C.	94	.....
S. Nat.	.....	900	P. N. G.			Do pfd	86¼	86⅝	W. Air.	.....	186
State bk.	62	66	Co.	93	.....	M. R. C.	12⅜	12½	N. F. P.	31½	31⅝
T. & M.	70	72	M. L. &			Do pfd	40¾	40½	Do pfd	89¾	89⅞
Tr. Co.	180	.....	P. G.	78	80	Mars.	4⅜	4¾	U. S.	41¾	41⅞
U. Nat.	.....	1,200	Mtn.			Mon. W.	.....	.....	Do pfd	90½	90¾
W. S. &			Luster	14¼	15	Nat. G.	.....	14½	B'DS.		
Dep.	108	112	Bridge			P. B. &			C. Ry.		
Fr. Nat.	140	142	N. P. p.	16½	.....	L. E.	85¾	86½	P. Mark.		
T. Cos.			S. 6th st		60	E. R.			& C.		
P. T. C.	.....	242	C. Rys.			P. B. C.			5s.	98½	.....
P. T. C.	637½	650	A. Trac.	48½	.....	com.	28	28⅝	Miscel.		
S. D. &			Citizens	71	.....	Do pfd	46½	46¾	M. R. C.		
T. Co.	107	.....	P. Val.	26½	.....	P. C.			5s.	.....	116⅜
U. T. C.	1,500	.....	Rail'd.			Nat. G.	28½	28⅝	F. B. C.		
E. Trust	.....	175	A. V. p.	.....	84½	Do pfd	90⅜	.....	6s. ...	112	112¾
R. E. T.	285	290	Elec.			P. P. G.					

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,500 head natives, 2,500 head Texans; calves, 400 head Texans. 900 head natives; beef steers, 10@25c lower; Texas and western cows about steady; choice export and dressed beef steers, $7 25@8 15; fair to good, $6 40@7 20; stockers and feeders, $2 70@5 20; western fed steers, $4 50@5 50; Texas and Indian steers, $2 50@4 00; Texas cows, $2 20@3 05; native cows, $2 25@4 75; native heifers, $3 00@4 60; canners, $1 60@2 25; bulls, $2 50@3 85; calves, $2 50@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000 head; market steady to 5c higher, closing strong; top, $7 12½; bulk of sales, $6 80@7 00; heavy, $7 05@7 12½; mixed packers, $6 85@6 95; light, $6 90@7 00; Yorkers, $6 85@6 90; pigs, $6 35@6 60. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,500 head; sheep weak to 15c lower; lambs 15@25c lower; native lambs, $3 30@5 60; western lambs, $3 00@5 00; native wethers, $3 50@4 00; yearlings, $3 90@4 80; fed ewes, $2 75@3 80; Texas clipped yearlings, $2 80@3 75; Texas clipped sheep, $2 85@3 00; stockers and feeders, $2 10@3 80.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 20.—Cattle steady, $2 00@7 10. Sheep dull, $1 25@3 50. Lambs steady, $3 00@6 25.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000 head, including 5000 head Texans; 600 head western; choice steady; others 10@15c lower; good to prime steers, $6 00@6 90; poor to medium, $4 00@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 50@5 50; cows, $1 50@3 80; heifers, $2 25@5 25; canners, $1 50@2 50; bulls, $2 25@5 25; calves, $2 50@7 25; Texas fed steers, $3 00@5 00; western steers, $4 50@5 50. Hogs—Receipts today, 24,000 head; tomorrow, 25,000 head; left over, 15,000 head; 10@15c lower; mostly 5c lower for butchers, $6 40@7 15; good to choice heavy, $6 90@7 25; rough heavy, $6 30@6 80; light, $6 40@7 10; bulk of sales, $6 60@6 90. Sheep and lambs, 25@50 lower; good to choice wethers, $3 50@4 00; fair to choice mixed, $2 10@3 50; native lambs, $3 50@6 00.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 50 head; steady; prime steers, $6 00@6 25; fair to good, $5 00@5 75; heifers, $3 75@6 50; cows, $3 25@5 50; canners, $1 75@3 00; bulls, $3 00@5 00; feeders, $3 00@3 90; stockers, $3 00@4 50; stock heifers, $3 00@3 50; yearlings, $4 00@4 60; veal calves, $6 00@7 50; sheep, top mixed, $3 75@4 00; fair to good, $3 50@3 65; culls to common, $1 75@3 00; ewes, $3 00@3 50.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,248 head; demand fair; prices generally steady; steers, $4 50@7 10; oxen and stags, $4 00@6 00; bulls, $3 00@4 85; cows, $2 00@4 50; calves weak; exports today, 275 head cattle and 6,500 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 2,836 head; market firm to 25c higher; veals, $5 00@8 50; grassers and buttermilks, $3 87½@4 50; culls, $5 00@3 25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 9,472 head; sheep slow; prime lambs firm; others steady to 10c lower; sheep, $2 50@3 50; few choice, $4 00; culls, $2 00; lambs, $4 75@7 00; culls, $4 00@4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 3,825 head; market 25c higher; state hogs, $7 25.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Coffee futures opened steady with prices 10 to 15 points higher on an active scare of shorts and general speculative buying led by Wall street and Europe. Private cables from Brazil today almost without exception confirmed yesterday's advices of serious damage to the new crop, heavy frosts having formed all through the Rio and Santos districts. The bad crop news from Brazil ports were strong and higher. Rio and Santos especially so, private cables reporting further sharp advances in these markets today and an advancing Rio exchange rate. Shorts had a bad day of it here. Prices after the start continued to advance, profit-taking, longs and importers having about the only coffee for sale, until at the close the market was firm in tone at a net rise of 20 to 25 points. Total sales amounted to 78,500 bags, including August at 5.25@5.35c; September at 5.30c; October at 5.25@5.30c; November at 5.30c; December at 5.30@5.45c; January at 5.55@5.56c; March at 5.45@5.60c; May at 5.35@5.70c; June at 5.70c; July at 5.75@5.85c. In two days futures have advanced nearly 1¼c a pound.

*Purchase money.

Transfers Recorded.

McCabe Chas B to J McD Lee Oct 7, '01, Swissvale, 40x120, Irwin ave..... $ 1,400
Sherrer Joseph to Emil Muer, Aug 13, '02, Millvale, 25x77, Pelbach st..... 1,600
Patterson A L to Jas A Connelly, Aug 7, '02, N Braddock, 48x100, Highland st 1,000
Woodford Mary A to Jos Makany, Aug 12, '02, Baldwin twp, 16 acres..... 9,487
Etzel Anton to Jno G White, July 20, '02, 6th wd, McKeesport, 20x70, White st 1,600
Graning Henry C to Wm H Sykes, July 2, '02, Mifflin twp, lot, Green Springs ave 725
Sedo Joseph to same, June 28, '02, Mifflin twp, 22x177, new ship road..... 1,200
Smith Emma A M Anderson, July 31, '02, 11th wd, McKeesport, 30x135, Patterson ave 900
Carnegie Land Co to A C Hough, Feb 10, '02, Munhall, 50x110, 12th ave..... 1,725
Frey Albert C to J T Keil, July 23, '02, 20th wd, Fgh, 30x150, Spahr st..... 80,000
Fair Haven Land Co to Sophia R Rump, July 31, '02, Baldwin twp, 100x170, Township road 1,275
Seely Daniel N to Mary J Porse, Aug 7, '02, N Versailles twp, 13 lots..... 2,000
Simpson Amanda J to Elizabeth A Moon, July 15, '02, Verona, 2 lots, D st..... 1,675
Biggart Lavinia F et al to Mary M Boyd, June 28, '02, Crafton, 50x128, Kingston ave 680
Bickell Benjamin F to Jno K Young, July 22, '02, Carnegie, 50x151, Hulton st 1,800
Penna T F & L A to Jacob Zlarke, June 30, '02, Robinson twp, lot, Vine ave..... 700
Greater Fgh Imp Co, Ltd, to M McCue, July 28, '02, Stowe twp, lot, Highland ave 1,800
Same to Wm Cross, July 28, '02, Stowe twp, 25x90, McKinnis ave..... 1,700
same to James Fenton, July 28, '02, Stowe twp, 25x90, Highland ave..... 1,800
Same to Chas Johnson, July 28, '02, Stowe twp, 25x90, Highland ave..... 1,650
Hawthorne Frank P to W S Yates, Aug 12, '02, 28th wd, Fgh, 25x150, Athea st 2,000

Mortgages Recorded.

Llewellyn Wm to Eureka S F & L A, Aug 11, '02 ..... $ 600
Curran Michael W to Powderly B & L A, Aug 18, '02 3,500
Broader Henry to Fair Haven B & L A, Aug 9, '02 1,350
Lepper Henry to Dollar S F & Tr Co, Aug 6, '02 4,000
Gillespie Emma L to Wm H Tranter, Aug 19, '02 2,750
Stilit Laura J to C L Saxton, Aug 15, '02 700
*Mauer Emil to A Mauer, Aug 16, '02 800
Magill George B to J G Kelly, Aug 14, '02 1,800
*Armstrong Harry M to J W Cook, Aug 11, '02 2,500
*Same to same, Aug 11, '02 700
*Stoner Marcus W to J E Pettecord, Aug 20, '02 3,000
Davis Wm H to J M Edwards, Aug 19, '02 3,000
McLaughlin Thirza to C Henning, Aug 20, '02 2,000
*Mackintosh R P to H C Bughman, Jr, April 1, '02 23,963
*Weigestock Henry to W Chess, Aug 20, '02 500
Mattun John to David McWilliams, Aug 12, '02 2,000
Mitchell Chas G to P J Pierce, jr, Aug 20, '02 5,000
Packard B S to B T Baur, Aug 1, '02 2,700
Till Wm to Model B & L A, Aug 11, '02 1,500
Neicher Goldie to S A McClurg, Aug 19, '02 6,000
Shaw Wm C to T N Miller, Aug 16, '02 1,500
Friedlander Max to Union Tr Co, Aug 7, '02 4,500

*Purchase money.

The following is a complete summary of yesterday's official transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. It shows the change in the closing selling prices, compared with the last preceding sales, the total sales of each security, the opening, high, low and closing prices and final bids and offers.

SECURITIES.	Total Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Bid.	Ask.	Ch'ge.
Luster Mining	10	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14¼	15	¾+
Fort Pitt Natural Gas	200	56	56	56	56	55¼	.....	1¼+
Westinghouse Electric seconds	140	109½	110	109½	110	109½	110	¼+
American Window Glass	100	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	¼+
Do preferred	185	94	95	94	95	94¾	.....	¼+
United States Glass common	188	37	37¼	37	37½	.....	.....	½+
Crucible Steel	200	22	22¼	22	22¼	22¼	22¾	¼+
Do preferred	250	86½	86½	86½	86½	86½	87	¼+
United States Steel	305	41	41¼	41	41¼	41⅛	41¼	⅜+
Do preferred	50	90½	90¾	90½	90¾	90¼	90½	¼+
National Fire Proofing	30	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¼	31⅝	½+
Do preferred	10	42⅞	43	40	40	39⅝	39⅞	½+
Manufacturers' Light and Heat	200	78	78	78	78	78	80	0
Monongahela River Coal preferred	100	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	40½	40¾	0
Pittsburgh Coal	750	28⅛	28⅝	28⅛	28⅝	28⅛	28⅝	⅝+
Do preferred	100	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	90¾	.....	¾+
Pittsburgh Brewing preferred	75	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾	48⅜	⅛+
Philadelphia Company common	1,225	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	¼+
Pressed Steel Car common	50	50	50	50	50	.....	.....	2½+
Union Switch and Signal common	60	93	94	93	94	94	.....	1 +
Westinghouse Airbrake	25	185½	185½	185½	185½	.....	186	0
Total	4,229							
Monongahela Light and Power 5s	$ 2,000	107	107	107	107	.....	.....	⅜-

‡Price for only 6 shares.

Rocky Ford Cantaloupe Prices Are Lower

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Colorado Melons Decline in Price—The Egg Market Exceedingly Firm.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

Liberal receipts of oats has again caused weakness in the oat market, the product being one and two points lower yesterday for the different grades. Up until yesterday the receipts averaged, for the past four days, 40 cars daily. Yesterday only 26 cars were received by the various railroads. No. 2 shelled corn was perhaps the firmest article on the list, and was steady at the prices quoted. Hay is moving freely at full prices.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 24 cars oats, 13 cars hay, 1 car straw, 1 car mill-stuffs, 1 car bran and corn, 2 car bran, 1 car wheat; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 1 car oats, 1 car hay; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars hay; Pittsburgh & Western railroad, 2 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car corn.

Following are the official quotations for hay, millfeed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $6 50@7 00; wheat, $6 50@7 00; rye, $8 00@8 25.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, old, $16 00@17 00; new, $14 50@15 00; No. 2 old, $13 50@15 00; No. 3 mixed, $12 00@13 00; clover, $11 00@12 00; prairie, $8 00@10 00; packing, $8 50@9 00; loose from wagon, $16 50@17 50.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter, 71@72c f. o. b. cars within a radius of 100 miles of Pittsburgh; No. 2 yellow, shelled, 65@70c; high mixed, 68@69c; No. 2 mixed, 67@68c; No. 2 yellow, ear, 70@76c; high mixed, 74@75c; No. 2 mixed, 73@74c.

Oats—No. 3 white, old, 60@65c; new, white, 40@44c; extra No. 3, 39@40c; No. 3, 37@38c.

Millfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $21 50@22 00; brown, $20 50@21 00; bran, $15 00@16 50.

Groceries.

The demand for sugars is not as heavy now as it was one year ago. The dullness is attributed to a shortage in the fruit and berry crop, which has lessened the demand for the preserving sugars.

Flour—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 15@4 20; fancy winter patents, $3 80@3 90; bakers' grades, $3 00@3 60; straights, $3 75@3 85; fancy spring straights, $3 90@4 00; clears, $3 50@3 60; second clears, $2 90@3 00; low grades, $2 20@2 30.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.80c; fine, 4.90c; powdered, 5.00c; Jute bags, 4.80c; powdered, 4.90c; powdered XXXX, 4.95c; cubes, 5.05c; cut loaf, 5.05c; confectioners' A, 4.60c; coffee A, 4.45@4.50c; No. 1 yellow, 4.30c; No. 2 yellow, 4.20c; No. 3 yellow, 4.05c. Quotations are for Pittsburgh and Allegheny wagon delivery. Add 5c per 100 lbs for rail shipments to points within a radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 25; keg, $2 50; packages, $2 45@3 00; oatmeal, bbl, $5 75; kegs, $3 05.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@29c; prime do, 22@25c; new open kettle, 37@40c; fancy strictly prime, 30@32c; sugar sirup, 28@30c; syrup in 2½-lb tin cans, 1.05; 5-lb, $1 25; 5-lb, $2 20; 10-lb, $4 00 per dozen.

Coffee—Roasted, bulk Rio, 10½@12c; Santos, fancy, 17@18c; Caracas, 19@18½c; Golden Rio, 14@15c; Java, 26@28c; Mocha, 25½c; standard brands, 1-lb pkgs, 10.80c (with rebate of ⅜c allowed to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs, 14.30@16.30c.

Beans—Prime Marrow, bu, $2 45@2 50; H. P. navy, $2 00@2 05; red kidney, $2 65@2 70; California lima, 6¾@6¾c.

Peaches, Dried—Peaches, $1 05@2 00; Scotch, per bu, $2 10@2 15; split peas, bbl, $7 00; less, 4c per lb.

Oil—Carbon, 110 deg., 9c; headlight, 9¾c; water white, 10c; Elaine, 13¾c; Ohio W. W. test, 9¾c; miners' Lewis, 51@52c; special brands, 20@43c; prime refined, 26c.

Rice—Extra, fancy head, 7¼@7¾c; fancy Japan, 6¾c; choice Carolina, 6@6¼c; prime Carolina, 4¾@5½c.

Salt—No. 1, $1 00 bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 00; granulated rock, 80c sack; pocket salt, $1 40@1 80.

Fish—No. 1 mess, mackerel, bbls, $23 00; half bbls, $12 00; quarter bbl, $6 12½; 10-lb pails, $3 75; 10-lb kits, $2 50; No. 2 mackerel, new, bbl, $14 00; half bbl, $7 25; quarter bbl, $3 75; 10-lb pails, 95c; lake herring, 100 lbs, $4 10; 20-lb quarters, $1 55; 10-lbs, 62c.

Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, $1 50@1 60; California, C. clingstone, $1 90@2 35; Maryland peaches, $1 10@1 60; California, Y. F., $1 80@2 00; corn, fancy brands, 90c@$1 00; corn, 82½@85c; California cherries, extra, $2 00@2 25; Lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked Lima beans, 72@76c; strike do, 65c@$1 25; morrowfat peas, 85c@$1 00; early June peas, $1 00@1 30; soaked peas, 55@65c; tomatoes, 3-lb can, gal cans, $3 50@3 60; pineapples, $1 20@2 20; damson plums, $1 05; California plums, $1 40; raspberries, 85@90c; gooseberries, 90c@$1 00; standard tomatoes, 95c@$1 00; fancy do, $1 20@1 30; salmon, doz, 1-lb cans, $1 00@2 05; succotash, 1-lb cans, 65c@$1 40; chipped beef, 1-lb cans, $2 40@2 75; corned and roast beef, 1-lb cans, $2 50@2 75; roast beef, cans, $1 50@2 00; mackerel, 2 and 3-lb cans, broiled, $1 75@2 00; sardines, domestic, ¼s, $3 35@3 50; mustards, ⅛s, $3 10; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 95c@$1 25; 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1 10; baked beans with tomato sauce, 95c@$1 40.

Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 8½@9c; 25-lb boxes, 9@12c; apples, in bulk, 10c; 1-lb cartons, 10@11c; peaches, 8@12c; raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 6@8½c; raisins, Muscatels, 2 and 4-crown, 50-lb boxes, 6¾@8c per lb; Ondaria Valencia, 5¾@6c; California Valencia, 7c; raspberries, 25½@27½c; currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs, 6¾@7c; California prunes, 8¾@8½c.

Seeds.

Clover—From store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small, $5 75@5 65; mammoth, $5 05@5 75; crimson, $4 75@5 00; white Dutch, $10 00@14 00; alsike, $10 00@10 50; alfalfa, $6 00@6 75; millet, $1 05@1 70; Hungarian grass, 90c@$1 10; lawn grass, 18@20c per lb; blue grass, 14-lb bu, $1 80@1 75; seed top, 14-lb bu, $1 10@2 00; timothy, $2 80@2 90.

Fruits and Produce.

Rockyford cantaloupes will be 50 cents lower on the crate today and will sell at the price quoted. The receipts yesterday amounted to one car, but the market was well cleaned up last night. Other varieties of cantaloupes are somewhat weaker in price. Apples are firm. There were 23 cars on the track yesterday and only one new car arrived. Sixty cars of potatoes were in the yards yesterday, the arrivals being three cars. This is a moderate supply and potatoes are steady in price. Tomatoes continue high, much higher than they should be. Farmers, however, report that the vegetable is rotting and souring, but the product is expected to work lower in a few days. Peaches are inch lower, declining 50 cents a barr

LACK OF COKE THREATENS THE IRON INDUSTRY

Nine Near Furnaces Are Now Banked With More to Follow.

CONDITION IS ALARMING

There Is an Easier Market in Billets and the Bringing Here of Eastern Skelp Has Forced the Prices Down.

The iron production is being curtailed to an extent which threatens the balance of the iron and steel industry. Nine near furnaces are closed down, and with conditions unchanged the short supply at a dozen other stacks may result in their being banked at any hour.

It is in certain of the Pittsburgh railroad yards where the principal trouble exists. To feed the valley furnaces with coke it is now necessary to handle the supply from the Connellsville field through Pittsburgh yards where a congestion of traffic exists. The finishing mills feel little of this. They get the necessary cars to load their production and it is started away.

At Connellsville there is now the heaviest stock of coke in the history of the region, while the furnace consumers are clamoring for enough to keep their stocks going. If the present conditions continue the iron producers estimate that the year will close with 50 per cent of the contracts to be filled. The condition has stopped negotiations for now business.

No Stocks at Furnaces.

At the first of this month stocks at all furnaces had been reduced to 75,029 tons, over 6,000 less than the month before. The July production was 1,475,817 tons, a decrease of 18,189 compared to June.

Inadequate railway facilities in the Pittsburgh district threatens the entire iron and steel situation. There are now banked the Atlantic furnaces at New Castle, the Hall at Sharon, two Shenango furnaces at Sharpsville, two at Hubbard, O., a Lowellville furnace and two in the Youngstown district. Ten or 12 others have no supplies of coke and their banking is a matter of any moment. For a full week the deliveries of coke have been entirely inadequate. One interest requiring 200 cars on one day receiving only 6 and on other days 22, and again 49 cars. The result was the banking of the furnaces.

This condition has existed in the Pittsburgh district, with little relief, since last October. Unless there is a heavy movement of coke today 10 or 12 additional furnaces will be down and the effort of the producers to meet their contracts just so much impaired.

Must Suspend in Winter.

There is a fear that with this condition continuing there will be no possibility of furnace operation in winter. Several of the furnace interests have men scattered at all points between the Connellsville region and the furnaces, working for a satisfactory drilling of cars.

The key to the trouble is that practically all of the coke must pass through the crowded yards of the Pittsburgh district. In the week past the total shipment of coke from the Connellsville district has not been sufficient to run five out of about two score of furnaces. In the Connellsville region the H. C. Frick Coke Company is preparing to close some of its ovens, by reason of the car shortage, along with the fact that the stocks are sufficient to run for a long time.

The pre-eminence of the Pittsburgh district as a producer of iron and steel is threatened by these conditions. It is simply that Pittsburgh has not enough railroads and the iron and steel interests are wrought up over the attitude of other railroads against the entrance of the Wabash here. At the Willow Grove yards of the Pittsburgh & Western, the McKees Rocks yards of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, and the Conway yards of the Pennsylvania lines west, the congestion is tremendous.

Struggle to Keep Stacks Hot.

Furnacemen are now simply struggling to get a sufficient supply of coke to keep their stacks hot after they have been banked and before they are chilled.

The past week has developed an easier market in steel, and also in skelp. In the first instance the condition is unaccountable, but in the latter it is explained by the introduction of much eastern skelp. There continues a dragging condition in the sheet and tin plate markets, although the market in sheets has somewhat strengthened. The low prices offered to some buyers for short periods are no longer available.

Like in other interests, the United States Steel Corporation is driven to straits for a supply of pig iron that it requires outside of its own production in the second quarter of next year. Under a continuation of the conditions which now exist there will be none available and the steel corporation will be short. Many of the sheet and tin plate mills are closed for repairs, and for inventory, and because of a shortage of sufficient orders to keep them going to their capacity.

New Effort With Tin Workers.

A new effort is being made to induce the tin plate workers to accept a wage reduction so that the great volume of export business may be held here. The result is doubtful, a large majority of the workers having already voted against it, and it will be uphill work to get them to swing to the other side.

Of Bessemer pig iron only sales of a few 500 and 1,000-ton lots have been made for forward shipment, the price being from $21 to $21 50 at the valley furnaces.

There were no transactions in forge iron, the price holding nominally at from $21 to $21 50 for shipment in next year.

Foundry iron sales of the week past were at the advanced prices of the week before. The aggregate was about 7,000 tons and the price $22 50 a ton for the No. 2 grade.

There has been an unaccountable and pronounced break in the price of Bessemer billets. For forward shipment billets of this class are now available at from $31 to $31 50 a ton; basic open hearth billets and sheet and tin plate bars, at the usual ratio above this.

The domestic producers of ferro-manganese are still out of the market, quoting only the prohibitive price of $52 50 a ton, while the foreign product is offered here at $50.

More Strength in Wire Trade.

There has been additional strength added to the wire and wire nail markets, and as a result there is a heavy demand for steel rods at about $35 50 a ton.

Additional scattered orders for rails have been placed and the producers now have about 1,200,000 tons of business on their books for next year's delivery. In addition there will be about 400,000 tons of old business carried over from this year. Prices remain as follows: 200-ton and larger lots in standard sections, $28 a ton; $30 for carlots and $32 for less than carlots; $38 for 30, 35 and 40-pound rails in carlots; $39 for 25-pound, $40 for 20-pound, $42 for 16-pound and $45 for 12-pound. Girder and T rails for traction use are from $38 to $40 a ton.

There is no rush in the demand for common iron bar, the price holding at from $1 80 to $1 90 for 100 pounds.

The extremely high prices of skelp have been sharply curtailed by a rush of material from the eastern producing mills. For sheared steel skelp the price is now from $2 20 to $2 25 for 100 pounds, and for the grooved skelp from $2 05 to $2 10, with the iron skelp continuing very scarce and quotations only nominal.

Muck Bar Market.

There is little muck bar available with the price holding at a base of $36 a ton.

The Pittsburgh plate producers sold about 10,000 tons in the week past, the delivery running into next year. Base prices are as follows: Tank plate, $1 60 for 100 pounds for plates up to 100 inches in width, and 5c extra 100 pounds for wide sizes; flange plates, $1 70 for 100 pounds; stillbottom steel, $1 90 for 100 pounds; locomotive firebox, not less than $2 higher; 2-10-inch plates, $1 a ton extra; gauged Nos. 8 and 9, $2 a ton extra; circles, $1 80 for 100 pounds.

Pittsburgh producers of merchant bar sold about 6,000 tons in the past week. The base price remains at $1 60 for 100 pounds.

Structural material sales by Pittsburgh producers aggregated about 15,000 tons, all sales being for next year's delivery. Base prices continue as follows: Beams and channels, from 3 to 15-inch, $1 60 for 100 pounds; beams, 18 to 24-inch, $1 70 for 100 pounds; angles, 3 to 6-inch, $1 60 for 100 pounds; tees, 3 to 6-inch, $1 65 for 100 pounds.

No More Cut Prices.

There is little action in the sheet market but the extremely low prices on galvanized sheets have been withdrawn. Now the base rate of $3 for 100 pounds on the No. 28 gauge is being maintained, and on galvanized the prices are equivalent to the old discounts of 70, 5 and 2½ per cent.

The tin plate market is developing nothing new, the price being the same, $4 for the 100-pound box of standard plates.

Steel hoop prices hold at $1 90 for 100 pounds in sales of 200-ton and larger lots, and $2 in lesser lots.

Producers of the finer lines of merchant and crucible steel are being crowded with business. Prices remain as follows: Tire steel, $1 80 for 100 pounds; toe calk, $2 25; spring steel, $2 25; plow slabs, $2 25; rolled lay steel, $2 50 to $2 75; tool steel, $7 and upward, according to quality; cold-rolled shafting, 42 and 47 per cent off the list.

There is little activity in the market for old material, most of the consumers being supplied for a month or two ahead. Prices remain as follows: No. 1 melting stock, $21 to $21 50; No. 1 cast scrap, $21 50 and $19; No. 1 wrought scrap, $22 50 to $23; turnings, $15 50; borings, $12 to $12 50; old steel rails, $21 50; old iron rails, $26; steel rails for re-rolling, $24.

Hardware Market.

In the hardware market the season indicates midsummer, and it would seem as though business should be quiet. Figures, however, show that business is larger and heavier in volume than ever before, the increase for this month showing 25 per cent over the same month of any other year—a very large volume of goods moving out in response to orders through the salesmen and from customers, showing the great activity of trade throughout.

Business in general lines continues excellent, dealers evidently feeling that purchases are good purchases at this time, and that prospects are that values will continue about as they are, if not greater, than they have been. Prices are very firm, indications from every side promising advances rather than declines. Quite a large number of orders are being taken for fall goods, future orders showing a heavier volume than in many years, and prospects point to the largest business ever seen. The Bindley Hardware Company furnish the following quotations: Wire nails, carlots, $2 10; less than carlots, $2 15, base; cut nails, carlots, $2 10; less than carlots, $2 15, base; galvanized wire, No. 6, carlots, $2 50; less than carlots, $2 60 for 100 pounds; axes, single-bit, $7 25 a dozen; double-bit, $8 50 a dozen; Bindley canal shovels, $9 50 a dozen.

Tube Quotations.

Steel and wrought iron pipe quotations by the leading producer remain as follows:

MERCHANT PIPE.

⅛ to ¼ inch	60
⅜ to 12 inch	67

TUBES.

	Steel.	Iron.
1 to 1¼ inch	42½	30
2¼ to 3 inch	61	48
1¾ to 4 inch and 6 to 13 inch	56½	38

CASING—RANDOM LENGTHS.

2 to 3 inch	58	43
3½ to 4 inch	60	45
4½ to 13½ inch	63	48

SCARCITY OF COKE HURTS IRON TRADE

Want of Transportation Faculties Causes Coke Shortage, but Latter Is Not Yet Explained.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The Iron Age tomorrow will say:

Pig iron appears again to be the link in the chain upon which the heaviest strain is falling. The reports from Pittsburgh show that about 13 furnaces in the valleys have been forced to bank on account of scarcity of coke, and Chicago telegraphs that in that district, too, several furnaces have been forced to cease production, with the danger that the number will be added to. In Eastern Pennsylvania, too, additional stacks have blown out. The coke scarcity is not so much a matter of production as it is due to what looks like a breakdown in transportation, the railroads simply being unable to handle the traffic.

Under the circumstances buyers, particularly those near the seaboard, are turning more and more to foreign sources for their supplies, particularly since reasonable delivery can be had. A considerable tonnage has been placed, probably not less than 25,000 tons during the past week. This includes Middlesborough foundry iron, which has sold as low as $18 cargo, but is now held at $18 75 to $19, considerable low phosphorus pig and one lot of 3,000 tons of malleable pig. That the foreign markets are not responding more to this demand in the matter of prices has caused some comment. Possibly the simplest explanation is that our purchases have prevented what would otherwise have been a serious decline. The Europeans, too, regard our present situation as abnormal. Our markets have the reputation of being subject to violent changes, and there is the constant fear abroad that overnight we might stop buying and turn aggressive sellers.

The buying of pig iron for 1903 delivery has slackened considerably, and since the majority of southern furnaces have withdrawn consumers have been taking chiefly northern iron. In some quarters, notably along the seaboard, founders have been skeptical and have not taken hold for 1903. Many expect their contracts for 1902 to extend considerably into next year, in view of the fact that sellers are now far behind their deliveries. With the possibility of falling back on foreign iron now offered much cheaper than domestic they express their willingness to take their chances. They hold that prices cannot go much higher without seriously checking consumption and may decline somewhat.

There is little change in the steel situation. The falling off in the demand through the slackness in certain lines of finished iron and steel is not telling much on steel because the pressure for the raw material on the part of the heavy lines is so great.

Reports are current of negotiations in progress among foreign manufacturers of steel rails. Our Essen correspondent states that the Germans and Belgians are near an understanding and are trying to interest the English mills. From other quarters come the announcement that this present and prospective Canadian rail mills are endeavoring to reach an understanding with the English producers. The European makers have had their experience with an international pool in the rail trade of the world, outside of the United States, for many years.

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Judge Acheson Compels Her to Try Again for False Arrest Damages.

SIX CASES ARE DECIDED

Court Says Service on Vice President of a Mississippi Corporation Traveling in Pennsylvania on Other Business Is Void.

Judge Acheson of the United States circuit court yesterday handed down opinions in six cases.

In the case of Gertie Wild against the Metropolitan Insurance Company the court set aside the verdict of $5,000 for the plaintiff and ordered a new trial. She was the agent of the insurance company at McKeesport, was arrested, charged with embezzling the funds of the company, but was acquitted.

The suit for damages for false arrest followed her acquittal.

The court overruled the demurrer in the case of the Brownsville Glass Company against the Appert Glass Company and the Mississippi Wire Glass Company, and directed the defendants to file answers. The suit was for an alleged breach of contract for restricting the manufacturer of wire glass and the demurrer was that the contract sought to create a monopoly and was therefore illegal. In the same case the service made on the Mississippi Wire Glass Company was set aside on the ground that the service of the writ was made on a person not representing the company. It was made on William Dales, Jr., vice president of the company when he was in this state, but the court in his opinion says that it appeared that the vice president was not in Pennsylvania as a representative of his company or on any business connected with it, and, therefore, set the alias service aside.

In the case of the New York National Building and Loan association against Henry and Delia B. Schaffer, the rule for judgment for want of sufficient evidence was made absolute.

The demurrer in the case of John A. Bechtel against Humbert and others was set aside, the plaintiff directed to file a bill of particulars and the defendant to answer.

A preliminary injunction was denied in the case of Frederick G. Woodan against the Empire Coal Mining Company. The injunction was to restrain the defendant company from disposing of certain stock.

Denied Agreement Was Violated.

An answer was filed yesterday in the equity suit of M. A. Painter and others against W. F. Walker. They were associated in the ice business at Wilkinsburg, and after a dissolution, it is claimed, the defendant collected certain bills. It is denied the plaintiffs have the exclusive right to collect the bills, it having been agreed that the partners were to make collections from the customers of their respective routes and the money to be divided after the payment of debts.

Denies Bank's Power.

An answer was filed yesterday by the Consul Schamberg European-American Company to the bill in equity of the First National bank to restrain it from carrying on a notary and power of attorney business under the name given by the defendant. It is claimed by the defendant it is in no way conflicting with the plaintiff's rights, and that the charter of the bank gives it no power to conduct a steamship and railroad ticket agency.

WANTS WINDOWS CLOSED.

Unusual Bill in Equity Filed by Sarah E. Leiter Against Murdoch, Kerr & Co.

A bill in equity was filed yesterday by Sarah E. Leiter against Murdoch, Kerr & Co., making the unusual request that the firm be compelled to close certain windows. She says she owns property on Strawberry alley adjoining that of the defendant. On the defendant's building are 14 large open windows and at each of these is a heavy iron or steel shutter which extends about three feet over the plaintiff's premises. It is declared that there is great danger of these shutters being torn down by the wind and falling in the complainant's yard, imperiling her family.

It is also charged that the employes of the defendant company throw debris out of the windows, and it is asked that the company be ordered to remove the shutters and keep the windows closed.

A Very Brief Will.

The will of Jacob Yellig of Pittsburgh, which was filed for probate in the register's office yesterday, is short but full of sentiment. It is as follows: "All that I possess in the world I hereby bequeath to her whom I most love in it, my dear wife, as her sole and absolute property for life. Jacob Yellig." The estate is valued at $4,100.

Wants Damages for Arrest.

W. F. Sonnenberg sued Charles Znonak for damages. He claims the defendant caught hold of him and took him to jail without a warrant or telling him what he was wanted for. The plaintiff says he was sent to jail and kept for several hours before he was released.

New Suits Filed.

The following new suits were entered yesterday:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

W. H. Kaech Company—J. H. Richards....Rep.
Same—Harry W. Sauers, Mrs. H. W. Sauers and W. S. Jones.....Rep.
F. G. Bishoff & Co—James Harrington and Mary Harrington.....Judge.
New England Supply Co—George W. Taylor.....Assp.
William Ward—T. H. Brown.....Sum tres.
Keystone Realty Co—D. R. Evans.....Ap.

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

Georgiana C. Blackhall—The borough of Wilkinsburg.....Sum. tres.
The Allemannia Fire Insurance Co. of Pittsburgh—Louisa Mracken, admr., et al.....Judge.
George McKee—The Crucible Steel Co. of America.....Sum. tres.
John Seaton and B. C. Seaton—Isabella Furnace Co.....Sum. assp.
D. P. Hinchberger—R. T. Brown.....Judge.
Sarah S. Leiter—Murdoch, Kerr & Co.—Equity
Schwarzschild & Sulzberger—George Kastlemyer.....Assp.
Helios Upton Co—Conrad Weber.....Judge.
S. G. Glumphy—Henry D. Piel.....Ap.
Heller & Perrin—Margaret Joos.....Judge.

COMMON PLEAS NO. 3.

Blodgett, Ordway & Weber—H. Rushton...Ap.
Grady, Coda & Co. for use—Tony Colangelo.....Ex. att.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

By the will of Eva Girah of Allegheny the bulk of a $1,500 estate goes to the decedent's children. Attorney F. R. Stoner represents the estate.

Precipes without statements were entered as follows: George McKee against the Crucible Steel Company, Georgia C. Blackhall against the borough of Wilkinsburg.

Robert W. Darragh of Beaver was appointed receiver of the Enameled Iron Works Company of Beaver county, and C. H. Bowlby and H. C. Sayers, Jr., receivers of the estate of George Illig of Waynesburg.

D. Milton Pollock was appointed receiver of the bankrupt estate of William Umbaugh of East Waynesburg, and an order made in the same case restraining the sheriff of Greene county from selling any of the property.

Max Nonnosky, a Titusville merchant, filed his petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court. His debts are $14,625, with $7,500 assets, of which $5,000 is in stock in trade and $2,000 debts due.

A suit for $10,000 for slander was entered by William H. Ward against T. H. Brown. Ward avers that on June 14, 1902, he was called "fraud and cheat" by the defendant. The litigants are rivals in business.

The following executions were issued: National Deposit bank of Brownsville vs. Bailey & Co., $418; H. A. Mackey vs. Kate Strander and A. E. Strander, $7,020; Augustus G. MacConnell, for use, vs. Georgia V. Minear et al., $8,580.88; W. H. Pickering vs. D. C. Hicks, $15 25.

The will of Thomas Davy of Allegheny was filed. Property at Rebecca and Cony streets is left to the testator's widow. The residue of a $13,000 estate goes to the decedent's daughter, Elizabeth Briggs, who is directed to pay her mother one-third of the income during her life.

A statement was filed in the case of James Lockhart against Jacob R. Burkle to recover $1,694 57. The plaintiff made an agreement with the defendant for the erection of a house. Lockhart says the house was unfit to live in, that the bricks upon one side of the building are bulging out, the roof leaks, the doors are not hung right and the floor is giving away.

An action in replevin was brought by the Hutchinson-Clark Company, shoe manufacturers of Boston, to obtain possession of two trunks and three sole cases from the custody of C. F. Kirchler and F. H. Tooker of Newell's hotel, which were left by a traveling man to secure board. Bond was given and the property was released.

Daniel Howe, by Attorney L. B. Cook, filed a statement in his $10,000 damage suit against the United States Glass Company for personal injuries. He avers that while at work for the company on July 31, 1901, a large pile of stock fell on him through the neglect of the defendant company to provide proper lights so he could see to avoid danger.

FUND FOR A PARK BOAT.

Director McCandless Gets $100 from a Minister and Is Not Quite Sure What to Do With It.

Director McCandless of the department of public works yesterday received a communication from the Rev. C. L. Thurgood, from Chicago, inclosing a draft for $100 to be used for building a "circular boat" for the Panther Hollow pools in Schenley park.

The Rev. Mr. Thurgood did not state whether he wished his contribution to start a fund for the boat or not. Director McCandless will look into the matter and learn what plans he can formulate for the proposed new boat. In his letter yesterday Mr. Thurgood stated that the money was given by himself and a few friends.

The Rev. Mr. Thurgood is the pastor of the Central Christian church. He secured from his congregation an extended leave of absence some time ago, and is now on a trip to Australia.

Cronje Sails for Home.

JAMESTOWN, ISLAND OF ST. HELENA, Aug. 20.—A thousand Boers, including Gen. Cronje, his wife and his staff, sailed from here today for South Africa.

For Sickness Get the Best.

Physicians of the principal cities prescribe Old Choice Wines from Speer's N. J. vineyards. The rich Port and Sherry are unexcelled by any in the world for entertainments, family use and invalids. Sold by druggists.

Summer colds lead to Neuralgia. Dill's Balm of Life leads to relief. It cures the cold first, and then the Neuralgia.

For all colds and stomach troubles Dill's Balm of Life has been used in hundreds of families for more than 30 years.

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Weather—Showers. Thursday, August 21, 1902.

Another Under-the-Dome Special.

$10 Japanese Vases $5 Each.

Great Japanese Vases for the unheard-of price of $5! Some of them two feet high—none less than twelve inches and many over fifteen inches high.

And all of them of the queerest shape, just such shapes as would be expected of Japanese.

This is how we elected to sell them for $5, although the common price in art stores is $10: We recently imported from Kobe, Japan, a great lot of rare specimen vases in such wares as Awaji, Kochi, Awata and Tanzan.

The richness and the beauty of these Vases can no more be described than can the Japanese names be interpreted into English. All we can say is they are marvelously beautiful, and are worthy of a place in your hall, your parlor, any place where a piece will be decorative.

Some of the New Dress Goods for Autumn.

One of the strong foundations of this store is Better Values for Lower Prices than elsewhere.

There is just enough of egotism about us to make us believe that what we do for you in dress goods no other store in this large city does.

We are more than ever determined to obtain the largest Fall and Winter selling of dependable dress fabrics.

Every line of new Autumn materials herewith named has its quota of new Fall colorings.

And just here we desire to say a word to the great number of customers out of town who shop with us by mail, and who are daily readers of our store news. Ask us for samples of these new dress stuffs. That is the way to prove a store. But in the asking we will take it as a kindness if you will be specific. State about the price you wish to pay and the color you prefer. Sampling costs us a good many thousand dollars in a year.

Among the new materials we mention—

For misses' hard school wear we commend our 45-inch PLAIN DRESS CHEVIOT in such solid colors as navy, brown, castor, garnet, gray and black, at..... 50c yd.

And an excellent material for the run-about dress is our 44-inch PLAIN TWEED MIXTURES, gray, blue and brown, combined with white, at..... 65c yd.

A splendid dress fabric is our 49-inch PRINCESS CHEVIOT, which comes in a variety of colors and black, at..... 75c yd.

A 52-inch wide dress cloth is COSTUME VENETIAN CLOTH, which we have in solid colors, mixtures and black, at..... 85c yd.

The popular HERRINGBONE CHEVIOT, 44 inches wide, in seven of the prettiest and newest Fall shades, ready at the low price of..... $1 yd.

56-inch wide HABIT CLOTH, good and weighty for the unlined skirt. Brown, tobacco, gray, castor, red, navy and black, at..... $1.25 yd.

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Our Recent Silk Purchases

From the Cheney Silk Co., Hartford, Conn.; Rosenthal Silk Mills, New York; Mason Silk Co., Paterson, N. J., and Givernaud Silk Mills, Allentown, Pa., mean a saving of about 50 per cent to those who will anticipate their autumn needs and buy now.

Persian Pongee Silks—Just 54 Pieces left—in 10 color combinations—wash perfectly—very stylish for Shirt Waists, House Gowns or Kimonas—manufactured to retail for $1.00 yard—while they last at..... 39c Yd

Corded Japanese Silks—Extra quality—guaranteed to wash and launder—all clean, fresh goods—mostly in Pinks and Oxbloods—have been selling all season for 45c yard, now at..... 27c Yd

Guaranteed-to-Wear Black Taffeta—Each and every yard guaranteed to wear satisfactorily or money refunded. On sale today as follows: The 19-in. at 59c and 75c yd. 23-in. at 89c yd. 27-in. at $1.00 yd. 36-in. at $1.25 and $1.50.

Taffeta Lining Silks—19 inches wide—excellent quality—strong and durable—good, lustrous finish—large color assortment, including White, Cream, Pink, Light Blue, Lavender, Grey, Tan, Reseda, Cardinal, new Blue, etc., etc.—your choice for..... 35c Yd

White Jacquard Habutai—So desirable for Unlined Waists and Children's Dresses—15 dainty self-color designs to choose from—launders perfectly—23 in. wide, at 69c and..... 58c Yd

500 Pieces of Dress Goods

Intended for next Fall's trade, were scooped in by us last week at a big price concession. As usual, you get the full benefit of our lucky purchase. The goods consist of 48-in. Satin Covert, Venetian and Panama Suiting in the shades that will be all the go next Fall. Take your pick today for..... 75c YD

56-in. Melton Cloth Skirtings—In oxford, brown and blue—the most stylish and durable fabric for the unlined and rainyday skirts—Intended to sell for $1.50 yard. Sale Price..... 85c YD

Imported Wash Goods—An unconditional sacrifice of our entire stock of French Lawns and Irish Dimities—also a large line of Imported Scotch Madras, Zephyr and Chambray—imported to sell for 25c to 40c yd.—Choice now for..... 15c Yd

Laces at 35c On the $.

A New York Importer, who closed out the balance of his Summer stock to us, is the loser on these goods. Of the 2,600 pieces and short ends placed on sale last Monday, barely half remain at this writing, but the assortment still includes all styles and kinds: Fine Normandy Val. Laces, Point de Paris Laces, Cluny Laces, Venise and Chantilly Bands, Edgings and Insertings—in the daintiest and prettiest patterns imaginable all assorted in 4 big lots at..... 3c, 5c, 10c & 15c yd

Irish Crochet All-Overs—A magnificent assortment of very fine Irish Crochet All-Overs—so fashionable for making those Lace Coats, Waists, Jackets, etc.—dainty patterns—regularly sold for $3.50, now at..... $1.98 Yd

Plain Tucking—Fine quality Nainsook or Cambric—large or small tucks—made to retail for 35c, Sale Price..... 10c Yd

Mousseline Tucking—Extra fine Mousseline or Chiffon Tucking or Shirring—now so very stylish and popular—in Black or White—full width—choice for 98c and..... 79c Yd

Embroideries—Fine Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries, Ribbon Readings with or without Lace Edges and pretty Swiss Insertings—so nice for trimming Waists, Summer Dresses or Underwear—also a lot of dainty Wide Flouncings for Trimming Skirts or Corset Covers—at 25c, 19c, 15c, 10c and..... 5c Yd

Flouncings—So desirable for Corset Covers or Skirt Flouncing—in the new Blind effects or Open Work Patterns—at 59c and..... 25c Yd

Real Lace Jackets—Those Swell Real Arabian Lace Bolero Jackets—hand made—on sale in Ladies' Neckwear Dept.—regular price $2.50, reduced to..... 98c Ea

Final Price-Cutting In Boys' Suits.

Two and even three Suits can now be had for the usual price of one. Many shrewd mothers, realizing this, are fitting out the Boys for the school term, soon to begin. If you're wise, you'll do likewise.

Boys' $4 & $5 Suits Cut Down to..... $2

This extraordinary offer includes nobby Single or Double-Breasted 2 and 3-Piece Suits, in Flannels, Cassimeres, Cheviots and Fancy Worsted materials—Norfolk Suits in plain blue or fancy colors — Sailor, Russian Norfolk and Russian Blouse Suits—also Light Weight Top Coats and Reefers—choice for $2.00.

Boys' $6 to $10 Suits Cut Down to..... $3

This offer includes every Light Colored 2-Piece Suit in our entire stock, ranging in price up to $10—also extra fine Blue Serge Suits, Single-Breasted Suits, 3-Piece Suits, Colored Serge Suits, Sailor Suits and Norfolk Suits—sizes 2½ to 16 years—choice for $3.00.

Any Boy's Wash Suit in Our Entire Stock, No matter whether Sailor, Russian Blouse, Norfolk or Kilt style, etc.—whether white or colored or what the marked price, even if $4, today at..... $1.00

Young Men's 2-Piece Suits—Small lot of Young Men's All-Wool Flannel 2-Piece Suits—mostly light colors—sizes 14 to 19 years—worth $4.00 to $6.50, now go in this sale at..... $1.95

Young Men's $6.50, $8, $10 and $12 Suits, Including practically our entire stock of 2-Piece Long Pants Outing Suits—also many elegant 3-Piece Blue Serge Suits—go in this sale at..... $3.90

All-Wool Pants—Special lot of Boys' All-Wool Cassimere or Cheviot Pants—also brown or drab Soft Corduroy Knee Pants—at only..... 25c

Those 2,700 Rockers at ⅓ & ½ Off

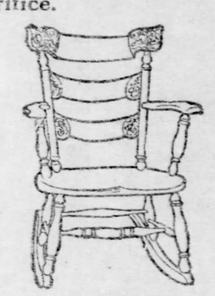
The regular prices are going fast, VERY FAST. Don't delay, therefore, if you want to avail yourself of this extraordinary sale. As heretofore stated, these Rockers are the remainders of several makers' last spring stocks. That's why they sold them to us at such a big sacrifice.

$1.49

For choice from several styles of fine Golden Oak Parlor Rockers—Cobbler or Saddle seat — regular price $3.00.

$1.98

For choice from several styles of splendid hand-carved Rockers — Cobbler or Saddle seat—like illustration and several other styles—regular price $4.00.



$2.75

For choice from 15 styles of elegant Quartered Golden Oak or Mahogany Finish Parlor Rockers—hand-carved—regular price $5.50.

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For choice from 10 styles of massive Mahogany or Quartered Golden Oak Rockers — Pearl Inlaid back—hand-polished—regular price $7.50.

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